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BOVING COMPANY MAY ENLARGE PLANT AT AN EARLY DATE

At the annual meeting of the Boving Hydraulic & Engineering Co. Limited, held in Lindsay Monday afternoon, very gratifying reports were presented to the directorate regarding the year's operations.

The Company has at present orders amounting to $100,000 on its books, and these are being augmented from time to time. Unfortunately, however the firm like many others throughout the country, finds it extremely difficult to secure skilled mechanics. Advertisements have been inserted in Canadian and American papers but the results have not been very encouraging. The class of work handled by the firm is such that none but the most skilled mechanics are required.

The proposed amalgamation with two other Canadian plants has not been consummated, it is said, as a month's time, and this means that additions will have to be made to the local plant. The firm could employ 150 hands at present, but, as stated above, these are not available.

The manufacture of hydraulic machinery is on the eve of great development—greater than ever before in the history of the country. As there are few plants in Canada as well equipped as the Boving for this class of work, our citizens will readily see that its future growth and expansion is assured.

LIBERALS IN NEW BRUNSWICK HAD CLEAR LEAD OF FIVE

St. John, N. B., Feb. 24.—By carrying all but four seats in Gloucester to-day by tremendous majorities the Liberal Opposition comes into power in New Brunswick with a clear lead of five seats in the Legislature exclusive of the Speaker. Out of 48 seats the Opposition has 27 in this election, leaving the Government 21, as compared with two for the Opposition, and 46 for the Government in 1912. The Opposition has won ten of the seventeen ridings in the Province, splitting in another and has an immense majority of the popular vote.

With Gloucester the verdict leaves no room for question. Nowhere else has the Government make gains in this election. Everywhere it lost. The claim that the French-speaking elections alone have defeated the Government is not a sound one. It is shown not only by results in Queen's and Sunbury, where Opposition candidates were elected, but in York and Charlotte, St. John City and St. John County as well. In York the highest Liberal candidate polled within 300 votes of election, and the Government has scored a normal majority there of from 1,200 to 2,500. The French of own constituency can the lead of the Government ticket in half. In St. John city there has been an enormous turnover, with one Liberal candidate elected and the others running close, whereas five years ago three of the Opposition candidates lost their deposits.

PEOPLE CONDEMN CORRUPTION.

The returns from Gloucester were eagerly awaited to-night, and with the receipt of the first bulletin showing T. Bennett Hachey, Conservative Federal candidate in Gloucester and Liberal Hon. Murray Government ticket, defeated in his own village of West Bathurst, a sensation was sprung for the Opposition ticket, headed by P. J. Veniot was indicated. In Bathurst the Liberals made a clean sweep of the Government candidates polled less than one-third of the vote. The Canadian Northern has gone solid for the Liberals. The French vote, as has the free and independent vote of every constituency, has gone against corruption in public life.

While Mr. Veniot's sons are fighting for their country, he has given freely of his talents and energy and of his money in the campaign. If this result is plain for giving the Province of New Brunswick that clean and honorable government which it is entitled to and for British institutions.

SEAT FOR MR. FOSTER LIKELAY.

The indications are that a seat will be found for W. E. Foster, the defeated Opposition leader, and that he will be the next Premier. If this is not done, it is expected that Hon. C. W. Robinson, who carried Moncton for the Government, or Hon. Robinson was the former leader of his party and was once Premier, will resigned the leadership in Mr. Foster's favor.

EIGHT HOURS BATTLE ON THE SNOW COVERED AREAS OF SINAI

The British victory at Magdaba, the second of the series of three battles which resulted in the Turks being cleared out of the Sinai Peninsula, is described in the following message received by mail.

Cairo—When Gen. Chauvel's force entered El Arish (after its evacuation by the Turks) it had accomplished a most arduous night march of twenty miles, it was fifteen miles off from the railhead, and the task of supplying it by means of camel transport would have been formidable enough if it had remained at El Arish.

But Gen. Chetwode, the commander of the Desert Column, decided to pursue the retreating enemy and the whole hearted efforts and skilful arrangement the difficulty of supply was conquered sufficiently to enable a flying column to start from El Arish at 1.30 on the morning of December 23. The force consisted of three brigades of the Australian and New Zealand Mounted Division, with Territorial Horse Artillery batteries attached, and eight companies of the Imperial Camel Corps.

There was no moon. A distance of over twenty miles was covered in less than four hours, a remarkable performance considering that both men and horses were still feeling the effects of their last great effort.

At 4.59 the column was close to the enemy's positions at Magdaba, twenty miles southeast of El Arish. Reconnaissance made as soon as it was light revealed an entrenched position of great natural strength. Five redoubts all save one admirably screened from artillery observation, had been constructed, commanding the approaches and supporting each other by flanking fire.

The position was defended by 4 forces well equipped with the most modern weapons, was not to be taken lightly, but, as events proved, resistance its captive would probably have been reckoned a matter not of hours but of days, and with the Turks, being in possession of the Magdaba wells, could afford to sit and hold the line, corn and mechanical troops, operating at a great distance from their base of supplies were practically forced to fight to a finish or to the water for their horses.

The Australians decided to adopt a ridge about 4,000 yards from the enemy's position and at nine the Imperial Camel Corps, supported by the fire of our batteries, advanced to make the frontal attack. This was followed by an encircling movement on the part of our mounted troops, the 3rd Light Horse Brigade, under Brig.-Gen. Chauvel's command the enemy's northern flank to surround him and cut off his retreat on the south.

Later in the day Gen. Chauvel was informed by aeroplane messages that the enemy had been seen retiring. The 3rd Light Horse Brigade and the New Zealanders pushed on rapidly to cut them off, and the 1st Light Horse Brigade, which had been in reserve, was moved up in prolongation of the line of the Imperial Camel Corps. Coming up under close range fire, which threatened serious casualties among the horses, the brigade had to get back and dismount; but the way they handled their horses under fire and the steadiness and precision with which they manoeuvred at the gallop won for them admiration of all who watched them.

Thomas E. Parker, Cameron Was Passenger on Laconia

Among the passengers who sailed on the ill fated Cunard Liner Laconia, which was torpedoed off the Irish Coast on Sunday night, was Mr. Thos. E. Parker, of Cameron, Pension Commissioner.

Mr. Parker was a farm hand in the employ of Mr. David Moynes, who resides north of Cameron, and had been in his employ for twelve years. He is a native of Leeds, England, and has returned there on business for his way to England to transact personal business and his fate is unknown.

LIEUTENANT MORDEN AT BOBCAYGEON

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

A splendid meeting in the interests of the 222nd Battalion was held at Bobcaygeon last night. Lieut. Strutt presided, and the moving picture machine was successfully handled by Capt. Kelly.

Lieut. Harty Morden gave the address of the evening on behalf of Capt. Potts, O. C. B. Co., who was unable to be present. Lieut. Morden's appeal was direct and to the point. Lieut. Morden was assured at the close that several fine physically fit young men would later join the ranks.

A feature of the evening was the singing of the pupils of the schools of several national favorites.

PRESENTATION TO DR. MASON, M.P.P.

Fenelon Falls, Feb. 26.—(Special.)—The members of the School Board here presented their late colleague, Dr. Mason, M.P.P., the other evening, as a token of their respect and appreciation, giving him a handsome silver-mounted briar pipe, a pouch and a copious supply of his favorite blend of tobacco. Mr. J. L. Arnold, clerk to the board, made the presentation. Appropriate speeches were delivered by Dr. Johnston (Chairman), Mr. Mills, McCallum, and R. Robinson, Principal. The other trustees present were, Mr. M. W. Brandon, Mr. W. Orchard and Mr. J. S. Mackay. Dr. Mason has been a member of the Fenelon Falls School Board for more than fifteen years, and for several years was Chairman. Pressure of public and private business led him to resign.

HELP TO CULTIVATE THE VACANT LOTS

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

"Will you see to it that every member of your society and all those over whom you have an influence, will take part this year in doing, if not only utilizing your own gardens, but every vacant lot in your locality for the purpose of producing a large quota that are so necessary to maintain our people at home and our armies at the front?" asks J. Lockie Wilson in a letter to the Secretary of the Ontario Horticultural Society.

The Department of Agriculture is prepared to co-operate in a practical way with the society in this undertaking, and asks that it promptly call a meeting of its members to arrange details of the work.

FIND SEED POTATOES MAY BE PLENTIFUL

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

The question of seed potatoes was briefly discussed in the Legislature yesterday when Mr. Hartley Dewart (Southwest Toronto) asked Premier Hearst in his absence, whether the Agriculture if the Government was taking any steps to secure a supply of seed potatoes for the farmers of Ontario as a minimum price.

The Premier thought they would find that the matter of seed would work on satisfactorily. The Department of Agriculture had asked the District Representatives to inquire as to the demand in their districts for seed and also to ascertain what quantities would be available for sale in each district. The information was now being tabulated, and they would find, perhaps, that there was a greater supply of seed on hand than was generally surmised. They had also taken care to ascertain where supplies could be secured, if necessary, outside the Province.

GIVES NAMES FOR RECRUITING OFFICERS

Monday morning Major G. I. Campbell, chief recruiting officer, at M. D. No. 2, was joined by the Board of National Service of Canada with the view that officers in this district with the Board think, are fit for military service. The list is marked "Class 1A" and contains the names of men in the cities throughout the district who can most easily be spared from the district for service overseas.

The C.R.O. is requested to send similar lists to recruiting officers throughout the district, and with all this way be provided with a basis for recruiting in a more systematic manner than has been the case in the past.

The information given in the list is name of the eligible, his address, his occupation and his trade. The lists are arranged according to the towns and cities in which the men reside.

PTE. C. H. AUSTIN WRITES MOTHER

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Mrs. H. Austin, of Kinmount, has received the following letter from her son, Pte. C.H. Austin, who is in France:—

"Dear Mother,—Just a line to let you know I am alive and well. The gloves came the other day. They were just what I needed, also the parcel of cake and fruit was fine. Ate all the strawberries at once, and they were so good. Glad to hear that you are well. I had a letter written to send to-day, but didn't get time to finish it up, and am writing to make this one do, as it is very cold and we have not been home to write, and no place else to do it in. I wish you would thank the people that sent the box of mitts to the boys. I am sure they will see them as they are good and warm. That is what we need out here. I had a parcel from Mrs. Bradley, Mr. Wilson's wife and Mrs. Mackay. Mrs. Mason has been a member of the Fenelon Falls School Board for more than fifteen years, and for several years was Chairman. Pressure of public and private business led him to resign.

WHO DREW UP, TEMPERANCE ACT?

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Under the heading, "Enforcing Liquor License Act," in the public documents of Ontario just issued appears the item: "Haverson, James, legal service, $500.00."

Naturally it caused comment. It is no dark secret that Mr. Haverson is, and has been for these many years, solicitor for the Ontario Licensed Victuallers' Association. As such he defended many offenders against the Act. Rather strange that he should be paid for enforcing the act.

Asked as to what the $500 was paid for, Mr. Haverson said: "Well, I suppose the public has a right to know what I got the money for. When the Ontario Temperance Act was being drawn up the Government called me in. They naturally considered that my twenty-six years' experience in liquor legislation would be available to them. Understand, though," he warned in conclusion, "this was not in any way spoke as a sop to the hotelmen." And then, with a chuckle, he added: "Perhaps that's why they drew the Ontario Temperance Act!"

CANADIANS MAY BE RESTRICTED

Ottawa, Feb. 26.—An intimation by Sir George Foster, acting-Premier, that the entrance of the Canadian people keeps up, it may be necessary for the Government to impose conscription in Canada, as Great Britain, is intended as a cautionary utterance. The Government, it is learned, has the matter under consideration, though it may do so at any time.

Commenting on the statement today, Sir George remarked that the Canadian people are going ahead with the business and spending liberally because of the prosperity of war orders from Great Britain. The war orders, however, they are overlooking the fact that such orders are temporarily financed by Canada. "We have to find the money," said Sir George, "but we cannot do it unless people save and practice some economy. What I have endeavored to emphasize is the need of our people placing themselves more on an economic basis. Here in regard to the sacrifices called for by the war. It is quite possible that conscription in the matter may come if things keep up as now."

GOSLIN APPEAL WAS DISMISSED

Goslin v. McConnell—J. E. Weldon (Lindsay) for plaintiff. A. M. Fulton (Lindsay) for defendant. Appeal by plaintiff from judgment of County Court of Victoria, 6th of January, 1917. Action to recover $650 for false imprisonment, malicious prosecution and so-called duress. At trial action dismissed with costs. Appeal argued and dismissed with costs.

BRINGING CANADIANS FROM OVERSEAS

Ottawa, Feb. 27.—Responding to requests received from many parts of the Dominion, a number of wives and families of the Imperial authorities as to the possibility of returning to the Dominion Canadian women who withdrew now in the Old Country, who are prevented from coming home by a recent prohibition of such travel through the barred zone.

It is learned there are thirty three and Canadian women and children in Great Britain, families for the most part of officers serving. A number of these women went to England on the strength of a few months' accumulation of their husbands' assigned pay or separation allowance and are now destitute. They present a problem to the Imperial authorities and have also been subjects of anxious concern to their relatives here who have been directing inquiries to the Government as to their return. One solution made is that they been sent home in transports.

WAS ONE OF BOMBING PARTY ALL OF WHOM WERE KILLED

The following from the Welland Tribune relates a pathetic tale of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Byrne, of Ops, and Mrs. John Begley, of Strathroy, and formerly of Lindsay:—

Mrs. Wm. J. Earley is home from the war, and a happy, thankful boy he is to be back again in this old home town and greeting his old friends. No one knows what longing for home is until he gets in the trenches, where the question is, "Will I get through?" Pte. Earley endured hardships and courted death for a longer period than the majority in the trenches. But neither this nor the fact that he returns crippled from the war with his left knee stiff and still very weak, mars the joy of his homecoming.

There is one shadow, though, for Pte. Early must go back. What do the boys who are physically fit and comparatively free from worry think of that situation? Will they ask themselves the question, "would this be necessary if I had no family?" Pte. Early has done his "bit." "It would break your heart," he said to some of the boys after stating that the simple burial of a young comrade who had been the life of the trenches was due to the one only one of many circumstances. Pte. Earley has been overseas for about eighteen months.

Pte. Earley is home on a ten weeks furlough. He travels at his own expense, paying fare over and back and have to pay it back again, so the strength of his desire to see Welland friends. There were many wounded that for clerical duty at the base in France on April 13th. Deducting two occasion is still more apparent. After returning to France, this will leave him six weeks to stay in Welland.

A VERY SLIM MISS.

The train which brought Pte. Early last night was over two hours late. The delay was caused by a slight fire in the three months his weight went down to 116 pounds. He has had his share of suffering. He is now physically in fine condition, except for his crippled knee.

GERMANS RETIRE ON WEST FRONT BRITISH OCCUPY STRONG POINT

With the British Armies in the Field, Sunday, Feb. 25. — The enemy is steadily withdrawing troops from many positions between Hohenzollern and the ground southwest of Bapaume, and our strong patrols are pushing forward into the abandoned country, which they penetrated in some places for nearly three miles without any fighting. The enemy is now holding the line of defence in the northwest of Serre (which the British failed to hold after entering it in the early offensive) and is falling back with a strong garrisoned Pys, which are now in our hands without a break to the north of Gommecourt where strong defences are being constructed. Our patrols have pushed up to the enemy's new line and the enemy rearguards are making a desperate resistance. There is considerable machine gun fighting and bombing, especially in the region of Miraumont and Irles, and they took place in the neighborhood of Bapaume and Puisieux.

Further on the right the same thing was happening. Patrols went forward and found the enemy's rearguards in front of Miraumont, and in the centre of the Ancre valley, where the enemy is with a great explosion, but by great good luck none of our men were hurt. At the time of the explosion the Germans were seen among the ruins. They were fired and disappeared. Miraumont was found to be without a single shot than this, and with it Little Miraumont, which is on the right our troops advanced toward Warlencourt and south of Irles, and they took possession of the famous knife that high mound above the bones of some prehistoric man, for which there has been so much bloody fighting in the autumn and in the first month of this year. From the direction of Bapaume to the north of heavy explosions was heard as though ammunition dumps were being blown up and for the first time aeroplanes of the German retreat from the Marne the enemy was destroying his own material on his way back.

How far he is going back is not clear. Patrols are still pushing out, but beyond doubt he is withdrawing to the high ground of Bapaume ridge, where he hopes to stand with greater safety than where he has surrendered tolerably from our gunfire and air raids.

DIDN'T REMEMBER.

A man stepped into a barber shop in other day and as he was being shaved the following dialogue took place between him and the operator.

Barber: "Have you ever been here for a shave before, sir?"

Customer: "Yes, once."

Barber: "But I do not remember your face."

Customer: "No, I suppose not: it's healed up."

BE WISE....

Here's food for thought.
It may seem strange. But it's true.
From Underwear to Outerwear
Our Clothes are cut to Fit

Suits and Overcoats	Underwear
8.00 to 25.00	50c to 3.00
Shirts	Gloves
50c to 3.00	1.00 to 2.50
Hats	Caps
1.00 to 3.00	50c to 2.00

ED. C. ARMSTRONG

The Men's Wear Store

WILL UNCLE SAM DECLARE WAR? AMERICAN RIGHTS WERE VIOLATED

Washington, Feb. 27.—The Administration waits upon Congress to give the answer of the United States to the German campaign of ruthlessness which has reached a climax in the sinking of the liner Laconia and the killing of two innocent American women.

Official accounts of the unwarned night attack on the Cunarder, regarded as the first clear-cut case of violation of American rights since the observance of relations with Germany were laid before President Wilson and the Cabinet today by Secretary of State Lansing. It was decided that no step should be taken until Congress had time to grant the request for additional authority to protect the lives and rights of Americans.

After the Cabinet meeting to-day it was stated that the President had no present intention of addressing Congress again; that he felt that the situation rested with Congress. It is generally believed, however, that if delay continues until adjournment is at hand he will make a further move.

LEGISLATION RETARDED.

In Congress little progress was made during the day toward enacting the legislation for which the President asked in his address yesterday. The Senate Foreign Relations Committee, by a divided vote, reported out a bill similar to the one introduced in the House, to authorize the President to arm merchant ships and employ such "other instrumentalities as he may deem necessary."

The formality of referring the measure back to the committee was blocked by Senator La Follette, who as the Senate is working under an agreement to consider nothing except by unanimous consent. The request to arm merchant ships was then voted on tonight, further action is delayed until Thursday.

On the House side the Foreign Affairs Committee has given over two sessions over phraseology, those opposing action objecting chiefly to the "armed neutrality" provision. The committee finally adjourned until tomorrow without taking a vote.

PACIFISTS' ORGANIZING.

The Administration leaders are not disturbed over the situation in the House, however, as it is well understood that action under a special rule can be forced whenever it is regarded as necessary. Moreover, while there is some real opposition to the armed ship bill, and among the pacifist group in the House, both Republican and Democratic leaders are confident that it will be passed by a safe majority. It is deemed wise to delay putting through a bill until it is clear what the Senate will do, so as to prevent conflicts.

Even in the Senate the Administration spokesmen profess full confidence that a majority for armed neutrality will be secured and the measure will be passed later in the week. Although most of the Republican members of the Senate Foreign Committee opposed it, it believed they will vote for the committee bill when the roll call comes.

LITTLE BRITAIN

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. Lou Wickett, wife and Miss Helen, also Miss Armstrong, of Lindsay, spent Sunday with his father, Mr. Will Wickett, sr.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Perrin visited friends in Toronto a few days last week.

Mrs. Archie Cameron, jr., of Oakwood, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Heatlie, last week.

Mr. Lou Wickett, jr., has erected a garage for his new Maxwell touring car.

Misses Ettie and Emma Dancey, of Valentia, visited their sister, Miss Violet Dancey, on Sunday last.

Pte. William Andrew Lindsay visited his home this week.

A large number from here were in Lindsay last Friday to see "The Barrier of the Somme" at the Academy.

Miss Bulle, of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Perrin this week.

Mrs. Ted Norman, of Markham will conduct services in the Christian church next Sabbath, both morning and evening.

Miss Maggie North spent a few days with her cousin, Miss Mary Heatlie, of Oakwood, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Heatlie spent Sunday at her home in Oakwood.

Our citizens are busy at present getting in their usual supply of ice for the summer.

Several from here attended the dance at the drill shed in Oakwood last Friday evening entitled "Minister's Bride."

Mr. George Heatlie was in Lindsay last Thursday evening playing hockey with the 252nd against the Arsenal team.

KIRKFIELD

(Special to The Post.)

The W. M. S. and Ladies' Aid Society held a joint meeting at the home of Mrs. Sam Truman on Tuesday evening last. After the meeting refreshments were served.

Mrs. W. J. Mitchell and Mr. Chas. Merry, jr., were in Toronto a few days last week with Pte. Alfred Mitchell, who left for the east with the 146th Bats on Friday.

Chas. Merry, sr., of Toronto, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. W. Mitchell.

Mr. Lloyd Read, of New York, left for his home on Thursday last, after spending a few days with his parents here.

Our Two Specials
BERRY SPOONS and COLD MEAT FORKS at $1.00 Each

Our Berry Spoons and Cold Meat Forks at $1.00 each have backing so well known and so popular, that we find some people think they are the only ones on the carry. Some ask for "something better."

We would like to say right here that the regular price of these Berry Spoons and Cold Meat Forks is $1.50 each, but having an exceptionally large stock of them we are offering them for sale at $1.00 each.

Come early as they will be bought up rapidly.

McCARTY'S Jewelry Store
The Store with the Stock

ELUDING THE SUBMARINE.

A few days ago reference was made in these columns to the mysterious smoke apparatus with which British steamships have been provided to protect them against submarine attacks. It consists of two drums attached to the afterdeck, one on each side of the ship. Each drum is filled with phosphorus. When the lookout sights the submarine an order is given to fire the phosphorus in the drums. Almost immediately heavy clouds of black smoke begin to pour from the phosphorus containers. The ship is entirely enveloped in the smoke and leaves such a long trail in its wake that the submarine cannot locate the fleeing merchantman. Five British vessels now in ports at Philadelphia are equipped with the "smoke ore." All the ships of belligerent nations leaving that port are provided with three-inch guns manned by experienced gunners, most of whom are members of the naval reserves of their respective countries.

ENFRANCHISING WOMEN.

The Weekly Sun, a farmer's journal, takes alarm at the possible results of suffrage for women. It claims that in the rural population of the province that is, the farming population, is rather a million, and the urban population a million and a half, and fears that with women voters added the superior political organizations of cities, will more seriously and people the province. It says women suffrage will enfranchise farmers' wives and daughters of voting age, which will be no advantage to the relative proportions of political influence. One addition will balance the other, maintains the same numerical ratio. And we may count upon the votes of women being less subject to party organizations than the men in the female vote of the province there will not be found as large a proportion of Democrats among men voters of persons willing to sell their franchise for a glass of whiskey. There will be no such farmers of the country being persecuted and their livelihood menaced through the influence of woman suffrage.

THE VERDICT IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The electors of New Brunswick performed a great service for the whole province on Saturday in driving from power the Murray Administration with its unsavory record. A like victory for cleanliness in political life such as was recorded in British Columbia a few months ago.

The government's record was one of graft, corruption and contempt. Provincial contractors were bled in order to provide a campaign fund for Hazen. The electorate at last, although the Royal Commission appointed to investigate the charges failed to indict the Cabinet Ministers liable, it placed the guilt on former Premier Fleming, whose election after his retirement to private life was worse than an outrage—it was predicted that once the free-born electorate was given an opportunity at the polls that the good name of the province would be vindicated, and the verdict at the polls demonstrated that the people struck a good blow for honest administration.

The Liberals had only three representatives in the last House, and in Saturday's contest were so badly beaten that they have not a single member. The campaign was a short one, and it found the Liberals unprepared, but they entered the fray with determination and in the consciousness that the people would support a clean government that had shamefully ridden roughshod over political decency and honesty.

LIBERALS AND THE HYDRO.

Once again the Liberals in the Legislature have on their own initiative stood up for and fought the battle for the Hydro Radials. Samuel Lount, the Liberal member for South Wellington and Sir Adam Slagle, ex-Liberal supporter in the fight for Hydro. Then Lount, the Liberal member for Lincoln, father of resolution year after year, favoring the Hydro developments, and Peter Smibdulow, Labor member for East Hamilton, one of the most sturdy champions of public rights in the province, were the three leading speakers in the debate. The Attorney-General, Hon. I. B. Lucas, coöperated in Mr. Marshall's motion, simply adding there to so as to assure from a clause commendatory of the government.

Mr. Marshall's motion protested against the approval of the application of the Canadian Northern or any of its subsidiary companies, for a line running from Toronto by Oakville direct through Hamilton, because this route has been surveyed by the Hydro Electric Power Company and that the municipalities concerned with the exception of Hamilton, had voted by large majorities in favor of the construction of the road by the Hydro Electric Commission.

Mr. Carter made a strong plea for the direct support of the Hydro Radials and both he and Mr. Studholme emphasized the particularly vital nature of the question at this juncture. Mr. Carter reminded and warned the government that there was an urgent demand for a public referendum that the government was not solidly behind the Hydro.

500 LITTLE WONDER RECORDS

for sale.

Hear them at the Fancy Goods Counter.

15c each

R. L. Morgan
DRUGGIST & OPTICIAN

WHY BOYS AND GIRLS LEAVE HOME

Not long ago a young girl, who was the only child of well-to-do and most devoted parents, disappeared. Her friends were sure that this bright girl had been kidnapped by white slavers, or murdered, or had eloped with her lover's mind and was wandering demented about the country, or that she had gone to the devil and died, and happened to her. She knew that Mamie could never have left home of her own accord.

"Why," they said, "Mamie was 20 years old, but we'd never even allowed her to have a social call from any of her companions are her parents, and I never let her spend a night away with it unless with another girl, and when girls came to see her I always sat in the room with them."

"But she had a mother very pleasant for her. Either I or her father always went walking with her, or took her to concerts and lectures, and to go to the movies, or the theatre, or any little party she was invited to. She had no social life of her own and so it's absurd to even think she could have run away from home."

But Mamie had run away from home, and she was eventually found working as a servant girl, and paid for her keep in the form of a beating of personal liberty.

Mamie's life was not very pleasant for her. Either I or her father always went walking with her, or took her to concerts and lectures, and to go to the movies, or the theatre, or any little party she was invited to. She had no social life of her own and so it's absurd to even think she could have run away from home."

But Mamie had run away from home, and she was eventually found working as a servant girl, and paid for her keep in the form of a beating of personal liberty.

Mamie's life was dull and monotonous. She didn't want to go back home where she was a prisoner of love, but just as much a prisoner as she had been. She took up in a cell, instead of a comfortable bedroom in her home.

Every boy has a moral in it for all fathers and mothers who, in their anxiety to watch over their daughters, forget that their sons are growing up, and that they degenerate into spies, whose ceaseless inquisitions any girl with a particle of spirit in her would be sent.

One of the hardest things to endure in life is the feeling of suspicion, the lack of privacy it affords the individual, the inability to get a letter, or a book, or a friend's visit, or even make a purchase that everyone in the household doesn't know all about and feel free to criticize. It is hard enough to the grown up, who, at least, has the liberty of action, but when you add to that the constant the authority of the parents that gives them the right to know and to know everything the girl is doing, or thinking or doing, but to forbid it if it displeases them, and you have the reason you have one of the reasons why girls leave home.

Undoubtedly mothers should watch over their daughters, but it should be done from afar and as discreetly as Providence watches over the stumbling steps of weak humanity. Above all the girl should be made to feel that she has personal liberty within large bounds. For mother to open Mamie's letters before Mamie sees them honestly for mother to examine every drop Mamie's silly little conversation with her friends, and for mother to have an eagle eye upon Mamie's every act, is simply to put a premium on Mamie's cultivating mother by carrying on clandestine correspondence, and taking her pleasures on the sly behind mother's back.

For somewhere the spy system always breeds. Sometime the most faithful watcher looks and finds it comes to the practice of deep and subtle chicanery any child can outgeneral a grown person. Therefore, parents are foolish to put a premium upon their children having to deceive them in order to get a little freedom.

It is all very well for a mother to imagine she is her daughter's best friend. She should be that. She should make the girl feel that she is the one friend that she can always come to for sure of understanding, and help, and sympathy, but any mother lacks intelligence who fools herself into thinking that she can ever be her daughter's most intimate and confidential friend.

The very nature of their relationship, the very respect in which the girl holds her mother, the very fact that her mother is her supreme judge who has the power of deciding every question of her life, prevents a free interchange of thoughts between them. There are always things that a girl could only say to other persons on earth easier than she could to her own mother.

Besides this, no matter how much we older ones yearn for the society of our children, they don't yearn for ours. They like their own kind, and we are bore them. To our children we are old fossils, and back numbers. They have their own standards of right and wrong, or boys and girls who have the same catch words, the same jokes, the same interests as themselves. It is useless for parents to cut their children off from other young creatures, and to force themselves as companions and companions on their young sons and daughters is to be guilty of inhuman cruelty. The boy and girl leave home at the first opportunity simply because they have been overwatched by both father and mother all their lives.

When you see the two quiet persons who are so anxious to take care of their children that they deprive them of all chance of having a lively, healthy time, you may be sure that the young people are old enough to assert themselves, they do the least of dissipation. They are starved for fun, and they gorge themselves on it at the first opportunity.

When you find a girl who is meeting young men out on the street corners, simply from the intensity of a bored she will tell you that she is not allowed to have a beau at home, that her parents disapprove of her mother about spending the evening with a friend when she's gone out with a young man, and that she will find a girl whose family is so strict that she's not allowed to go to the picture shows.

When you find a girl who is crazy about men, who is so easily flattered by a little love-making, that she loses her head, and who is so mad for pleasure that she will go anywhere with anyone, you may be sure that she has never been permitted to associate with boys in her youth, or to have the natural good times of girlhood.

For parents to be too strict and too watchful is even more disastrous than it is to be too lenient. There is a contrary devil in the best of us that makes us hanker after forbidden fruit, and to the attempt to break out of prison.

The only safe way in raising children is to adopt the happy medium. And that's the hardest thing in the world to hit.

HUNS HASTENING TO THEIR DOOM

(New York Times.)

If Germany has taken into account all the probable results of her course as fully as is indicated by the reports, some most carefully calculated upon a result which, though not apparent at first glance, is reasonably sure . . .

TURKS BAGGED BY THOUSANDS BRITISH CONTINUE THEIR SUCCESS

Granting that she can succeed in cutting off the United States from England, she will also, if we enter the war, cut the United States off from Holland, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland, Denmark and Spain.

The effect will be that we will strain every nerve to deliver our goods to Great Britain, France and Italy, which will be fighting our adversaries.

The neutrals will be the chief sufferers by the effectiveness of Germany's deadline. At present Germany undoubtedly gets a good deal of what we export to them, notwithstanding the agreements by which they are restrained from delivering such goods to her. There is a thriving trade in smuggled goods across the frontiers. When the neutrals are blockaded from us as well as from England, nothing will be smuggled. The "starvation" policy of Germany will be accelerated rather than retarded.

SOLDIERS SEND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Mrs. Knowlson, of the local Prisoners' Relief Work, has received the following acknowledgments:

Gritfriendeering, Dec. 25, '16.

Dear Mrs. Knowlson,—I am writing to let you know that I have been receiving the parcels regularly since the Swiss bread weekly. We are making the best of this Xmas here, but I do not like to spend it away from home as one in dear old Lindsay. With best wishes and many thanks, thanks to the "Standard" ever, I remain,

Yours very sincerely,
A. F. McDOWELL.

Ladgenstein, s.m. 2, '17.

Dear Madam,—Just a few lines to say I received two parcels of Oct. 24 on 29th of December, and I tell you that I enjoyed the contents very much. All of the parcels received are of the sincere thanks to Lindsay people for what they have done for me. I have no more to say just now, hoping to hear from you soon.

Yours sincerely,
A. GALLE.

Cassel, Jan. 8, '17.

Dear Friend,—I am pleased to acknowledge receipt of parcel of Oct. 31, which I have just received in good condition from the Daughters of the Empire. Thanking you very much, I am,

Yours respectfully,
A. JACKSON.

Langensalza, Jan. 7, '17.

Dear Mrs. Knowlson,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of parcel, which I received in good condition, complete in the season to all. Thanking you again, I remain, yours sincerely,

A. JACKSON.

DEATHS

GRANT—On Feb. 27 at the home of her son, W. M. Grant, Bobcaygeon, Ont., Donald Grant, widow of the late Donald Grant, Woodville.

Funeral at Woodville Saturday, March 3rd.

WHAT HE TELLS

"Do you tell your wife everything?"

"Not exactly. I'll tell her everything I want her to know, and everything I feel she'll find out."

TURKS ROUTED

Constantinople, Feb. 27.—The following official statement was issued today:

"On the morning of the 25th our gunboats, cavalry and infantry moved forward on the right bank of the Tigris, entering Ezmy Turkish rear guards, supported by artillery, were found to be occupying fortified positions fifteen miles northwest of Kut evidently covering the withdrawal of their columns.

"After an intense bombardment our infantry assaulted the enemy's position and captured the first line trenches, while our cavalry operated around the Turkish northern flank. During the night we captured two lines of sixty prisoners, equipment and stores were captured.

"After the evening the Turks began to tow their bridges upstream from Baghdah. The steamer slipped its tow on being bombed by airplanes, and the pontoons floated down stream for some distance."

SEVERAL THOUSAND PRISONERS.

It was obvious from the telegram, said Earl Curzon, that the scene of the operations had shifted from Kut to a point considerably up the river, and the success announced yesterday was being continued and pursued. He believed the total number of prisoners was several thousand, but he had not the exact figures.

Regarding a question as to the degree of confidence these events might inspire in the future, Lord Curzon remarked that he should like to wait a little before answering it clearly.

"The slur upon our arms—if that might be used—which appeared caused by the events of last year," continued Earl Curzon, "is entirely wiped out. The whole position successfully held by our troops and subsequently occupied by the Turks has been overcome, and in the series of engagements which has taken place and which has carried the fighting more than twenty-fifteen miles west of Kut constitutes more than merely local events, and must have a very great influence upon the Turkish position in Mesopotamia."

Berlin, Feb. 27.—The following Turkish official communication, dated February 26, was made public here to-day:

"The operations on the Tigris front continue methodically."

London, Feb. 27.—The following telegram, received from Gen. Maude at Kut, was read by Earl Curzon in the House of Lords today:

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SYMPATHIZE WITH CHILDREN.

There are some people who come into our lives like a gleam of sunshine.

We feel unaccountably rested and cheered and refreshed after meeting them.

If we go to them in trouble they have time to sit down and listen to the story and to sympathize whatever misfortune they've got away to sympathize.

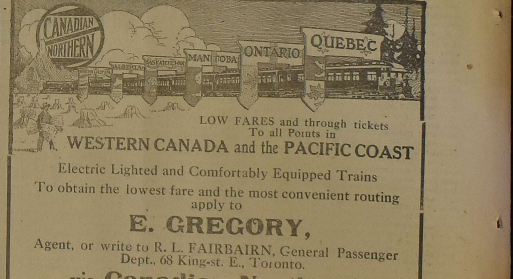
They enter into our cares as if they were their own, and to some in the day's work our burden grows lighter as we tell how heavily it lies upon us.

There is the power of substituting the "garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness"; they have the blessed gift of sympathy.

MOST IN DEMAND

"What do you need for dinner, Maggie?" asked the mistress as the maid appeared at the door of the room.

"A new set av dishes, mum," answered Maggie lugubriously, "Oive just chipped over the edge av the rug."—Christian Register.



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BRITISH RETAKE KUT-EL-AMARA TURKS NOW IN FULL RETREAT

London, Feb. 26.—Kut-el-Amara has been recaptured from the Turks by the British forces, according to a statement made in the House of Commons today by Andrew Bonar Law, member of the British War Council.

Mr. Bonar Law announced that as a result of the operations on the Tigris River front, all of the Turkish positions have been severed, and that as well as positions to the east and the west of Kut-el-Amara automatically passed into the hands of the British.

The Turks are in full retreat toward Baghdad, 24 miles to the east of Kut-el-Amara, says an official statement issued today by the British War Department. The fleeing Turks are being ravaged by pursuing British cavalry.

The statement follows:

"From reports from the commander of the Mesopotamian expeditionary force, the course of operations on the Tigris during the 24th was. The passage of the stream at Sannaiyat on the 23rd was rapidly and effectively exploited. During the following night, our cavalry pushed forward boldly, maintaining close contact with the enemy's rear guard, and reached the ridge across the neck of the peninsula was in our hands, and it became evident that the enemy was in full retreat in the direction of Baghdad, twenty-four miles west of Kut-el-Amara. Orders to destroy stores at many points were issued, and a strong rear guard, supported by artillery, has been detailed to oppose our advance.

"By eight o'clock in the morning our strong forces had crossed from the Tigris, and at once manoeuvred to gain the flank of the enemy's line of retreat. Throughout the day both our cavalry and infantry were heavily engaged, inflicting heavy loss and unknown casualties on the enemy.

AIRPLANES DO GREAT WORK.

"In co-operation our successes at Sannaiyat were further pursued, and our infantry proceeded to capture and consolidate the whole of the Turkish first line defences, the Makhalat and the Suwada positions, finally reaching the vicinity of Aisha Marshmarein.

"Throughout the fighting our airplane squadron cooperated, with invaluable results, frequently using bombs and machine guns from minimum altitudes.

"In two days' fighting we captured 1,700 prisoners, including at least one Turkish regimental commander and four Germans; four field guns, ten machine guns, three mine throwers and a large quantity of rifles and ammunition. As a result of these operations, the whole of the enemy's positions from Sannaiyat to Kut-el-Amara has been secured. Kut itself passes automatically into our hands.

"As soon as the situation will admit of an open character, our forces are disposed on a wide front, it has been decided to assemble as much of the extent of the Turkish losses in guns and material as may be practicable. Baghdad, Feb. 28.—The Turkish War Office today announced the evacuation of the town of Kut-el-Amara. The announcement follows: 'According to prearranged plan and in order to shorten the line and make improvements which have arrived, our troops which have held for a year advanced positions at Kut-el-Amara west of the town, have been withdrawn to the rear in a westerly direction. The movement was carried out unnoticed by the enemy."

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VOTES FOR ONTARIO WOMEN PREMIER HEARST PLEDGES HIMSELF

The franchise is practically in the hands of Ontario women. Premier Hearst came out yesterday with the announcement that his government would support the principle of J. W. Johnson's bill to grant women the right to vote at elections to the legislative assembly" on the same basis as to men. He failed upon his supporters to vote for it, and took responsibility for it, and for the vote upon it.

The government would bring down a measure, incorporating the principles of this bill, and providing the machinery to give women the vote before the next general election, he said.

Mr. Rowell, leader of the opposition, supported the measure, pointing out that his party had long advocated it, and saying it was the most radical change in the basis of this province's government since confederation.

The member for West Hastings in introducing the bill asked the government to get behind it.

It is possible that after supporting it in principle by voting for it at the second reading, the government may reject it in detail at the third reading, and so clear the way for a government measure.

ONE IS ENOUGH.

Tailor: "How many pockets in your trousers?"

Customer: "Only one, please. My wife is a busy woman, and I want to save her time when she goes through them."

Some people tell the truth only when she won't answer the purpose.

SOLDIERS PAID FOR THEIR FUN

Three young men from Highland Grove were in town on Friday last, and the magistrate's sweet were presented to them as to why they should not aside their gild rags and attire themselves in the more sombre regime of a sombre brown shade. They failed to see the force of the arguments, however, and four young soldiers forthwith procured a dozen eggs and proceeded to apply them in their raw state to the persons of the unresponsive ones. It was splendid target practice, and the boys are credited with making twelve bullseyes. If they score as well when they get to the trenches, the Huns will have to keep dodging. However, as a set-off to the little escapade, there was a police court case, and the egg throwers paid for their fun to the tune of $4.25 each; and hen fruit is worth forty cents a dozen just now. Mr. I. A. Ewing, K.C., was magistrate.—Bancroft Times.

REABORO RESIDENT'S PAINFUL INJURIES

Mr. Samuel Hunter, who resides east of Reaboro, was the victim of a distressing accident yesterday morning, while at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McNevin, to cut wood, his hand came in contact with the circular saw, and the result that the thumb and first finger of his left hand were badly lacerated. The thumb was so badly torn that it is feared it cannot be saved, and it is doubtful if the finger can be saved.

Dr. White, of Lindsay, was summoned, and had Mr. Hunter removed to the Ross Memorial Hospital.

OAKWOOD REGRETS THEIR DEPARTURE

Oakwood, Feb. 28. — The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brass regret very much the necessity of position of superintendent and matron of the House of Refuge, Lindsay. They will be sadly missed in this community and also in our church and Sunday school, of which Mr. Brass was superintendent.

ST VITUS DANCE AFFECTS MANY CHILDREN

This Trouble Can be Cured Through the Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

St. Vitus dance is much more common than is generally supposed. The trouble is often mistaken for mere nervousness, or awkwardness. It usually attacks young children more often between the ages of six and fourteen—though older persons are by no means immune. The most common symptom is twitching of the muscles of the face and limbs. As the disease progresses the twitching takes the form of spasms in which the jerking motion may be confined to the right side of the body only or affected. The patient is frequently unable to walk steadily, and in severe cases the speech is affected. The disease is due to impoverished nerves, owing to the blood being watery and lacking in the red colouring matter which only the nourishment obtained from good, rich blood can supply. The only medicine that has ever been successful in curing St. Vitus dance is the new blood builder, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which enrich the blood, strengthen the nerves and drive out the disease. The sufferer to good health. Any symptom of nervous trouble in young children should be promptly treated as it is almost sure to lead to St. Vitus dance. The following is a proof of the power of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to cure this trouble. Miss Harriet Campbell, R. R. No. 2, Bowmanville, Ont., says:—"I was attacked with what the doctor said was St. Vitus dance. My nerves were so troubled as to be practically useless. Then this trouble went to my left side, and I had a dull pain in my leg, and felt me in such a condition that I was not able to go out on the lawn. I took two boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and found my health restored without using any medicine. Then I tried another box and found that I was entirely cured. At this stage I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and did so, with the result that I am now in the best of health, and I have not had the slightest symptom of nervous trouble since. I can recommend these pills to anyone who is suffering from nervous trouble, and hope they will profit by my experience."

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from any druggist or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

VICTORIA ROAD

(Special to The Post.)

A sleigh load of visitors from the inn at Kirkfield attended service in St. Thomas' church last Sunday afternoon.

Among those from this part who attended the funeral at Kirkfield were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lytle and Mr. Laidley, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lytle, Mr. Ross Moir, Mr. J. Shields and Mr. Roy Byckman.

A number of men and teams are busy drawing stone from the banks of the Trent Canal and taking out the old wooden bridge on the south road and replacing it with a solid stone roadbasis and bridge.

The thaw of the last few days has been greatly appreciated, as the depth of snow has been so great as to make the roads nearly impassable.

FENELON FALLS

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Adams, visited relatives in town last week.

Mrs. Geo. Wilson is visiting friends in Toronto.

Pte. Fred Fell, who went overseas with the 109th Battalion last year, returned to his home at Fenelon Falls last week, having been invalided home owing to having contracted asthma while in England.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's church, enjoyed their annual outing on Wednesday afternoon. Two large sleighs conveyed the members to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hetherington's home in Verulam, where a hospitable welcome awaited them, and where a very pleasant time was spent.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church held a social at the parsonage on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 20th, when a good literary and musical program was provided. Mrs. Rev. Dr. E. Johnston presided. The subject, "Emigration," was very interestingly dealt with, the meeting proving a most pleasant and profitable. Mrs. (Rev.) Rowland of Greenbank, contributed a piano solo.

Rev. T. C. Jurkin has returned from Trenton.

Mrs. H. C. Mann, of Ottawa, is in town visiting at the home of her father, Mr. Jas. Graham.

On Monday afternoon Feb. 26th, the Women's Red Cross met at the home of Miss Hand, a large attendance being present. Mrs. (Dr.) Gould, president, occupied the chair. After devotions the secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and adopted. The latter reported a balance on hand of $84.77. The report of the Working Committee was given, 18 pairs of socks having been sent to soldiers from this vicinity who are in the trenches. Also 18 shirts and 18 pairs of six suits of pyjamas were sent to the Red Cross rooms at Toronto. Miss M. Gordon read a letter from Lady Eaton acknowledgment of comforts forwarded by the League from the following: Mrs. J. Heslop, Mrs. Chaney (Capt.) and Arthur C. Lord. A letter was read from Miss Plummer, acknowledging receipt of $10 sent by the League, and also providing a Christmas gift for each soldier at the front. Cards from several of the boys at the front were received and were read by the Secretary; also a letter of thanks from G. N. Gordon, a prisoner of war in Germany. It was then adopted by the Society, who some time ago sent $10 to him through Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Gould announced that a similar sum be sent Lieut. Gordon.

A report given of the Saturday Red Cross tea showed that proceeds of the tea given last Saturday amounted to $27.76. From the sale of cards pending realized $22. Total $49.76. Collection at meeting, $2.90. Red Cross envelopes, 80c.

Mrs. F. J. Smitherman reported the sale of the Red Cross Entertainment at Pleasant Valley, $19.00, which would be devoted to Red Cross work. Mrs. Dennis donated $5 to the Society and a donation of $10 was sent by the Women's Institute at Fowlers' Corner. A reading was given by Miss Monaghan, followed by the singing of the National Anthem. It was arranged to hold the next meeting at the home of Mrs. Mayhew.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lee and Miss Marion visited Mr. and Mrs. A. MacIntosh, Fenelon Falls, Sunday last.

Mrs. Jas. Smith and Miss Percy Price were the guests of Mrs. John Smith's evening.

A box social was held in No. 5 School house on Friday evening, Feb. 23. A good programme was given by the pupils of the school, after which the boxes were sold and a 15c lunch served. The proceeds amounted to $19.20, in aid of the Red Cross.

The Pleasant Valley Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. John Smitherman.

Mr. R. Paine, of Peterboro, visited Mrs. David Symes over Sunday.

Mr. S. Moynes is returning to his home in the west, taking with him his niece, Mr. Art. Moynes.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Ayres were the guests of Mrs. F. J. Smitherman one day last week.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Jos. Moynes is improving from his sudden illness.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. John Jackson is giving up farming and is going to move to the village shortly.

LINDEN VALLEY

(Special to The Post)

Mr. Ewart Rogers has so far recovered from his operation that he is getting on his legs on Wednesday, and at time of writing is getting along fine.

Miss Sarah Bowes went to Lindsay on Monday to take a course in dressmaking with the Misses Holmes.

Mrs. George Weldon spent a couple of days in Lindsay last week.

Mr. George Savage, of Toronto, is spending a few days at his sister's, Mrs. O. Weldon's.

We wish to express or sympathy to Mrs. Richardson in the death of her daughter, Mrs. Rev. Shepard, also to Mr. Howard and Eva Richardson in the loss of a sister.

Mr. Henry Bowes visited Toronto this week, and will return on Thursday with Mrs. H. Bowes, who has been spending a month with Toronto friends.

Miss Greeta Campbell is spending a few days with her friend, Miss Clara Bowes.

We wish to extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. George Lane, who were called to Oshawa on Tesday owing to the sudden death of Mrs. Lane's brother, Mr. Pollard.

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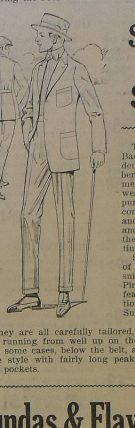

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They are all carefully tailored, and the Coats have pleats running from well up on the shoulders down to, and in some cases, below the hips, and are in two-button sacque style with fairly long peaked lapels and patch- or flap pockets.

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STORY OF A CAR OF POTATOES

Part of a carload of potatoes which Mr. Eldon Connor brought from Markham a short time ago, were sold yesterday to Clayton parties at $2.60 per sack of 90 lbs., and were taken across the river on the ice. The advance in this particular lot of potatoes is interesting to follow. On the Markham farm, Mr. Connor exhausted his energies in an effort to dispose of them from the car at $1.75, but without result and they were finally stored in his cellar. Later they were in demand, but the offers were always 25 cents under the price asked, until finally, when local men decided they could afford to pay $2.60 they were told they were too late. Across the river the potatoes will be worth $4.00 or more per bag.—Onaneque Reporter.

Nell — Oh, dear, I'm in such a quandary.

Bell—What is it?

Nell—Jack promises to stop drinking if I marry him, and Tom threatens to begin if I don't.

Although the average man may know when to stop, he seldom does it.

THAT FISH SHOWER ATTRACTS ATTENTION

Port Hope Guide: Mr. Robb's farm at Garden Hill, on which fell the shower of fish last Friday, was the attraction to many visitors on Sunday and the fish shower is now the sole topic of conversation in the village. We learn this morning that Dr. Beatty that a large number of fish were found on Mrs. John Moore's farm just north of Mr. Robb's.

On this farm cracks of foxes and ponds were quite plain, and a dead groundhog occupied a prominent place. It is thought that the groundhog wandered up there to feast on the flakes and had been killed by

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Special White Factory Flette..35c yd.
Pure Linen Dish Towels.....29c pr.
Corset Cover Embroidery, 25c to 75c yard.
Trimming Embroideries, 5c to 50c yard.
Val. or Torchon Laces, 3c to 25c yard.
Baby Flouncings, 25c to 75c yard
Special White Batts..... 15c each
Good Sewing Cotton..... 5c spool
Allover Embroideries, 50c, 75c and $1.00 yard.

White Quilts

A big range of White Quilts, in Honeycomb and Marseilles, from, each, $6.00 to..... **1.50**

DUNDAS & FLAVELLES Ltd.

"HOUSE OF QUALITY"

Sheetings

Heavy Bleached Sheeting, full 72 inches wide, free from dressing. An excellent cloth for general use. White Sale Price, per yard..... **35**

Heavy Unbleached Sheeting, 72 inches wide, free from specks or dressing. Very special cloth at the price. White Sale Price, per yard..... **27**

We show a big range of Bleached and Unbleached Sheetings from 65c per yard down to..... **35**

Pillow Cottons

Excellent quality Pillow Cotton, circular, 42 inches wide, pure bleach, free from dressing. A beauty at the price. White Sale Price, per yard..... **23**

Beautiful Pillow Cotton, circular, 42 and 45 in. wide, heavy quality, pure bleach, free from dressing. White Sale Price, per yard..... **25**

We have an excellent choice in pillow Cottons from 35c yd. to..... **25**

Towellings

Heavy Roller Towelling, 18 inches wide, pure bleach, with or without border. White Sale Price, per yard..... **11**

Pure Linen Roller Towelling, 18 inches wide, plain color or white, with border. An excellent towelling for everyday use. White Sale Price, per yard..... **15**

A big range of Imported Roller and Huck Towellings, plain and fancy, from 85c yard to..... **12½c**

Table Linens

Very special Half Bleach Tabling, in pretty floral design for everyday use. White Sale Price, yd..... **40c**

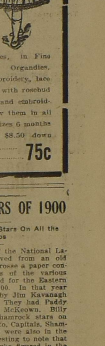
Pure Bleach Tabling, in dainty floral patterns. A beauty for domestic use. White Sale Price, yd..... **45c**

A big choice in Table Linens from $2.50 yard down to..... **75c**

We show a magnificent stock of Table Cloths and Napkins, which we purchased months ago before the advance. A good buy.

Table Cloths, $15 each to... **1.75**

Napkins, $10.00 dozen, to... **1.50**



Smart New Styles in Childrens' White Dresses

Beautiful White Dresses, in Fine Lawns, Voiles and Organdies, trimmed with fine embroidery, lace and insertion. Some with rosebud trimming, others in hand embroidered effects. We show them in all the wanted styles. Sizes 6 months to 16 years. Prices, $8.50 down to..... **75c**

DUNSFORD PATRIOTIC SOCIETY MEETING

The regular meeting of the Dunsford Patriotic Society was held on Wednesday, Feb 21, with the President, Mrs. G. Thurston, presiding.

A delegation which had been appointed to approach the Verulam council was successful in obtaining a grant for patriotic purposes.

The society gratefully acknowledge a donation of ten dollars from the Black Precepter of Dunsford.

After the regular business meeting eighty-one pairs of socks were packed and sent overseas. Thirty pounds of yarn was distributed to the willing knitters. During the winter months the society confined its efforts to the knitting of socks and wristlets, but as the Red Cross demands are now so urgent, it has been decided to again take up hospital work. For that purpose a meeting was called for Tuesday, Feb. 27th, when a number of ladies met and cut out material for sewing.

SALEM

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham and family have returned home after spending the winter months in Toronto.

Mrs. Isaac Davidson has returned to her home after spending a week in Detroit.

Miss May Ivory spent over Sunday with friends near Pleasant.

Miss Annie Swain, of Blackstock, has been visiting with her cousin, Miss Jessie Power.

Wedding bells are ringing in the vicinity this week.

Mr. John Stemmon happened with an accident last week, while sawing wood. He got one of his hands badly bruised and sprained by being wound up some way in the belt, when it came off the engine. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Knitting and sawing wood seem to be the order of the day.

The young girls of Salem have started a circle in aid of the Red Cross and other objects. They call it the Sunshine Circle. The last meeting was held at the home of Miss Hazel Woodward. They have decided on holding a basket social in the near future.

Mr. Smith, our new minister, preached a very interesting sermon last Sunday.

Mr. Robert Maclaurin, of Lindsay, spent Sunday at his home here.

PROCEEDINGS OF FENELON COUNCIL

Council met at call of Reeve. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved. Mr. R. Day was present and made a statement of roadwork done in 1916 to the effect that he had done 6 days more than required. Council promised to look into the matter.

Mr. Jno. Cochrane asked to be relieved from the office of pathmaster and the Reeve stated that if the County Road System came into effect it would work out the desired change.

On motion of Messrs. Braden and Farrington a bylaw was introduced authorizing the Cambray Telephone Co. Ltd. in using the highways of the township for the telephone system. The bylaw was duly passed, signed and sealed, Mr. Braden in the chair.

McKinnon—Braden — That a bylaw be now introduced authorizing the conveyance of the parcel of unopened roadway on the 11th con. line opposite lot 8. The bylaw was fully passed, Mr. Farrington in the chair.

James—Farrington — That a bylaw be now introduced giving councillors authority to do statute pathmastering for the road divisions. Bylaw was passed, signed and sealed, Mr. James in the chair.

Braden—Farrington — That the following accounts be paid: Jas Poulsom, bogue on 109 rods wire fence, $37.32; Geo. Lawton, bonus on 62 rods wire fence, $15.50; Ed. English, for 152 load of gravel, $13.30; W. H. Fowler, lining road scrapers, 40c; clerk 4th qr. B.D.M., $2.50, on salary $50, total $53.50; M. Mayhew, for services this meeting, $2.

Braden—Farrington — That council now adjourn to meet at the call of the Reeve.

CANNINGTON

(Special to The Post.)

Miss Elizabeth Wilson visited friends in Toronto for a few days last week.

Corp. John Gillespie, of the 182nd Bn., Oshawa, spent the week end in town.

Miss Doreen Bick visited her sister, Miss Ruth Bick, of Peterboro, last week.

Miss Bertha Mullen is visiting friends in Toronto for a few weeks.

Miss T. E. Foster is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. J. Ellis, of Toronto, this week.

Mrs Ted Burgess and little daughter, of Sunderland, spent last Thursday with friends in town.

Mrs. J. Pitsamonis, of Lindsay, visited friends in town last Tuesday.

Mr. P. J. Anderson was in Toronto last Tuesday on business.

Miss R. Keating, of Cresswell was the guest of Miss Mary Kirt over Sunday.

The marriage of Miss Lillian Beatty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beatty, 13th con. of Brock, to Mr. Arch. Parliament, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Parliament, of the 14th con. of Brock, took place last Wednesday afternoon at 3 p.m. The guests numbered about 80 and the presents were numerous and costly. The happy couple left on the evening train for Toronto amid showers of good wishes and confetti, the bride travelling in brown costume, hat to match.

Mrs. J. H. Valentyne has returned from visiting friends in Brandon, Manitoba.

Mr. Wright, of Stouffville, is the new teller in the Standard Bank.

Mrs. J. Hughes, of Cannington, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Woodward.

Mr. A. R. McMillan has returned to town after a three months' absence.

Mrs. Fred Burgis, of Sunderland, in town on Friday last.

The death occurred on Wednesday, Feb. 21st at Whitby, Ont., of Mrs. Margaret Brown, a former resident of Cannington and sister of Mrs. J. H. McMillan. Interment took place at stone church cemetery, Beaverton.

The L.O.O.F. will hold their annual social evening in the lodge rooms on Friday night next for the Oddfellows and their wives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Whetter and family left on Thursday last for their home in Hartney, Manitoba, after spending the winter with Mr. Whetter's mother.

The marriage of Miss Lila Wakelin, daughter of Mr. John Wakelin, to Mr. Rich Edwards, son of J. T. Edwards, of Wychen, Sask., took place very quietly on Wednesday last. The young couple left on the evening train for their future home in the West.

Miss Millie Hodgens spent the week end in Sunderland.

Mr. Arch Marks and family, of the 11th con. Brock, is moving into the residence lately occupied by Mrs. J. Blanchard, Cameron-st. west.

Mr. A. T. Allin, of Toronto, spent the week end with friends in town.

BLACK'S SCHOOL

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. Arthur Squires has returned home after a month's visit with Toronto and Pickering friends.

Mr. John Brown's sale was well attended, many coming from a distance. He realized about $1700.

Mr. George Dacres ad the misfortune to lose a valuable cow this week.

We are sorry to hear of the serious illness of Miss Elytha Holder, in Toronto, from diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Squires entertained a few friends on Thursday night.

A number of our young people attended the rink at Woodville Friday night and had the pleasure I hearing the Kirkfield-Woodville bands.

OAKWOOD

(Special to The Post.)

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. H. Dewman on Wednesday afternoon, March 7th at 2.30 p.m. A good programme is under preparation and a good attendance is hoped for of all ladies interested in the work of the Institute.

Miss Winnifred Perrin, of Little Britain, spent a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Perrin, during the week.

Miss Annie Penrose left on Wednesday morning to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Willies, Conner, of Toronto.

The ladies of the Patriotic League desire the co-operation of all the ladies of the community in saving their waste paper and rags, which may be left at the Bank of Montreal on Wednesday afternoons during banking hours. Proceeds in the interest of Red Cross Fund.

The patriotic service held in the Methodist church on Sunday evening last was well attended. The addresses by Mrs. A. B. McIntyre and Lieut. Mordue, also solos rendered by Mrs. G. F. Blackwell and Sergt. A. W. Allin, of Lindsay, were much enjoyed by all.

Mrs. George McHenney and Mrs. E. J. Johnson, of Lindsay, Mrs. Bowman and Elsie Richardson, of Lindsay, were among those who attended the funeral of the late Mrs. T. H. Shephard on Tuesday. Friends were also present from Little Britain, Sonya and other places.

Mrs. Garfield Heatlie of Little Britain spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. G. Scrimar, who has recovered from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lane were called to Oshawa on Tuesday morning owing to the death of Mrs. Lane's brother, Mr. W. Pollett.

We regret to learn that Mr. Thos. Nowry is still very ill.

Miss J. Fred Lamb, of Albert College, Belleville, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lamb.

The concert and play entitled "The Minister's Bride," given by the organized classes of the Sunday School on Friday evening last, was well attended. The proceeds of the evening amounted to $52.

Mr. W. J. Wooldridge spent the last few days at Little Britain.

BADDOW

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffin attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Wesley Mace of Mount Beech on Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Wilson and two children of Oshawa have been spending a few days with friends here.

Mrs. Thos. Stewart and two children, of Omemee, and Mrs. MacMillan of Tiny, returned recently after spending a few days at George Goodson's and W. T. Watson's.

A Soldiers' Aid tea and quilting was held at the home of Mrs. John Suggitt on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs W. T. Robson and family of Preston Falls, visited at W. T. Watson's on Sunday, the 18th inst.

Mr. George Goodland, of the 252nd Bn., Mine Bardia Goodland, of Cameron, and Mr. Peter Kenny, of Alberton, spent Saturday and Sunday last with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Salter intend moving next week. Mr. Salter having secured work near Port Hope.

Mr. George Wolf, who returned from the hospital, Lindsay, a short time ago, is doing nicely.

Miss Emily Hilyer, of Cobourg, spent Sunday at her home here.

N.L.U. PLAYERS OF 1900

Complete List of Stars On All the Clubs

Eddie St. Pere of the National Lacrosse Union received from an old time follower of lacrosse a paper containing the names of the various teams which battled for the Eastern championship in 1900. In that year the Nationals, led by Jim Kavanagh were the winners. They had Paddy Brennan, Jimmie McKeown, Billy Wells and other Shamrock stars on their roster. Toronto, Capitals, Shamrocks and Cornwall were also in the race and it is interesting to note that of all the players named in the N. L. U. that summer, Fred Degan of Cornwall, Harry Woods, of Ottawas, and John White, Cornwall, were the only survivors who still actively engaged sixteen years later. Woodstock played Cornwall for lacrosse when about 17 years of age. The teams of 1900 were constituted as follows:

Nationals—P. Fahey, Jos. Valois, B. Murphy, Alphonse Valois, A. St. Aubin, C. Marcelin, Sandy Brown, J. Fenwick, Fred Welch, Billy Wells, Jimmy McKeown, Paddy Brennan, J. Kavanagh, Harry Woods, captain.

Capitals—Westwick, Pulford, Pat Murphy, Hall, Stanley, Shaw, Devine, Kelly, Robertson, Binks, Hyde, Dan Murphy, Hamilton, Todd, Shah, captain.

Shamrocks—Allan, McGibbey, Yorke, Davies, Griffith, Toner, Gamble, Moran, Burns, McVey, Tobin, Murphy, Brennan, O'Connel, captain.

Cornwall—Louis White, John White, A. Broderick, J. Broderick, Jos. Lamerche, Fred Degange, Maddon, Butler, Turner, captain.

Batting Averages

A player on a tail-end team ought to hit .400 to 500 points higher than he would if he were on a pennant battling team. Cobb secured a .420 the other day. Well, pitchers rarely work their heads off against cellar champs. Class tells in baseball. Usually before the fifth or sixth inning comes along the good team is so far ahead that the game is practically sewed up. Therefore, the pitcher on the top-heavy team saves his arm. He doesn't pitch his nightiest. He lobs them over, and, of course, the batsmen get their home hits, thus fattening their averages.

TWENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT VICTORIA LOAN & SAVINGS CO

The Directors of the Victoria Loan and Savings Company have pleasure in submitting herewith their Twenty-First Annual Report showing the result of the Company's operations for the past year accompanied by the Balance Sheet to December 31st, 1916, duly audited.

After deducting interest charges, cost of management, war taxes and all other charges, the balance available for distribution is $50,284.22. Out of this were paid four quarterly dividends at the rate of 7 per cent. and a Bonus of 1-2 of 1 per cent. making the total dividend for the year 7 1-2 per cent.) $30,000.00 was added to the Reserve Fund and the balance carried forward to Loss and Gain Account.

During the year the Company's Assets increased by $256,467.67, bringing the total Assets up to $1,387,487.22, while the Reserve Fund now stands at $150,000.00.

It is with exceeding gratification that we are able to report increase both in assets and net earnings the largest in the Company's history.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WM. PLAVELLE,
President.

Lindsay, January 19th, 1917.

BALANCE SHEET FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1916.

ASSETS

LIABILITIES	
Cash on hand and in banks ..... $	94,263.25
Mortgages and bonds with accrued interest	1,671,073.97
Other investments	9,150.00
Company's office building	7,000.00
$	1,781,487.22
To the Public	
Deposits and debentures with accrued interest	$1,177,364.34
Due on loans in process of completion	8,393.26
Balance due Government (war tax)	938.50
$	1,187,396.34
To the Shareholders	
Capital stock paid up ..... $	400,000.00
Dividend No. 58, due January 1st, 1917	7,000.00
Unclaimed dividends	19.25
Reserve Fund	150,000.00
Balance at credit of profit and loss account	4,071.63
$	1,781,487.22

PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1916.

Balance brought forward from 1915 ..... $	3,337.41
Net profits for year after deducting cost of management and other expenses ...	50,234.22
$	54,071.63

APPROPRIATED AS FOLLOWS

Quarterly dividends Nos. 55, 56, 57 and 58 at rate of 7 per cent. per annum and a bonus of one half of one per cent. .... $	30,000.00
Transferred to Reserve Fund	20,000.00
Balance carried forward	4,071.63
$	54,071.63

RESERVE FUND

Balance at credit December 31, 1915	130,000.00
Transferred from Profit and Loss Account as shown above	20,000.00
$	150,000.00

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

"We have examined and found correct the accounts of the Victoria Loan and Savings Company, for the year ending December 31st, 1916. We have also examined the securities held by the Company and found them to be in order. We certify that the foregoing Profit and Loss Account and Balance Sheet are accurate statements of the affairs of the Company.

RUTHERFORD & WILLIAMSON, C. A.
G. A. PETERS,
Auditors.

Lindsay, Ont., January 15th, 1917.

AUTHORITY GIVEN PRESIDENT TO PROTECT SHIPS AND SUBJECTS

Washington, Feb. 26.—President Wilson to-day took the inevitable step and asked Congress for authority to use the forces of the United States to protect American ships and lives against the German submarine menace—to put the nation in a state of armed neutrality.

The immediate response was the introduction in the House of a bill, approved in advance by the President, empowering him to furnish merchant gunners to American merchantmen, and to "employ such other instrumentalities and methods as may become necessary, and providing for a $100,000,000 bond issue to be used in his discretion for war insurance to encourage American commerce to brave the submarine perils. The bill may be brought up in the House to-morrow with special rules for its immediate consideration.

A similar bill will be considered tomorrow by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS.

The President's long expected action, which reached the limit in its expressions of support, threatens to force an extra session of Congress.

Republicans, disinclined to grant blanket authority while Congress is in recess, give evidence of opposing the legislation the President asks, not for the purpose of withholding it, but to force him to have Congress in extra session to take a hand in the next steps which they feel will lead to war. The Republican line envisions passive support from the Democratic element classed as pacifist.

The Administration forces this division in its own ranks in its effort to convince the Kaiser that the United States now is prepared to command respect for its rights on the seas. Some Democrats point to the President-elect's own statement in his address to-day that he considered he already had implied authority to act, but might do so without sanction of Congress. Mr. Wilson himself, however, said he preferred to act on the explications, and did not desire to be left without specific authority and no doubt Congress to which to turn. All these things point toward an extra session, although the call may develop at the last moment.

CONGRESS CHEERS PRESIDENT.

No cheers and applause such as have been seldom given in Congress for the President's sentences to-day. By common consent the members of Congress refrained from demonstrations as if in respect to the dignity and solemnity of the occasion.

But at the conclusion of the address, when the President spoke of the maintenance of rights which have based the structure of liberty, Stability and liberty, and said: "I cannot imagine any one, even in America, who cipies at heart hesitating to defend these things," the cheers broke forth and resounded throughout the Chamber.

Tomorrow perhaps, or next day at the latest, the real debate will open and depth of the opposition the President must face, in order, as Senator Stone declared, to maintain "the status quo of peace." The most serious concern of the President's friends is that out of the situation an opposition may go ahead, as on previous occasions, that the united force of Congress does not stand behind him.

DECLINE IN THE PRICE OF POTATOES

Ottawa, Feb. 26.—The announcement of Premier Lloyd George of the restriction of British imports and the consequent shortage in such articles as potatoes, oats, etc., created a profound sensation in Ottawa, and the importance of the measures from the point of view of their effect upon prices in Canada, was at once realized. It has been a banner year for the potato producers of certain commodities in Canada, but the statement to-day of the Liverpool market, and now that these prices have been fixed by the Government, not only for the Liverpool market, but every other market in Great Britain, it seems certain that there will be an immediate effect shown in prices in this country.

Potatoes are selling around $3 a bag in Ottawa, and the British price is $125. It is said that there is an immense supply of potatoes in the Dominion, especially in New Brunswick, and that there is every feeling for an increase in prices. If this is so, the anticipated increase can hardly be unfamiliar, and it would seem that there will be a sharp decline in the price of potatoes in this country before the beginning of the new year. The wheat markets of Winnipeg and Chicago at once showed the effect of the British Government's fixed price by the British Government, and fell to $1.35.

This seems to indicate coming relief to the consumer in the direction of prices of farm produce, and definite to the sawn-consuming country. Assurance to follow the downward trend, salmon, the importation of which has been cut in half, is certain to be followed by a drop in the price of the article. The price of apples will be lower. This was the first admission made by dealers, for Great Britain is Canada's largest apple market, and the importation is entirely prohibited. The elimination of lumber will make the supply available in Canada very plentiful, but what effect will this have upon values is difficult to say at present.

There is another side of the question to be considered. The prohibition of certain imports and the closing of ocean tonnage available for the transportation of many commodities, must in the end cause a scarcity in Canada in other directions. The situation is one being thoroughly canvassed and the next few days will show the result.

CHICKEN THIEVES AT FENELON FALLS

Fenelon Falls, Jan. 28.—Chicken thieves are again becoming active on the south side of the river. Mr. Fred Wagner had five fine chickens last year's birds, stolen from his premises on Monday night, by someone well known. He was careful to keep his poultry securely locked up nights during the fall, when such depredations usually occur, but lately had not thought it necessary to do so, and consequently is minus a few of his finest fowl. A couple of other residents of the locality, Mrs. Manning and Mrs. Jones, have suffered similarly from the operations of the light fingered gentry recently.

TEETHING TIME A TIME OF WORRY

When baby is teething is a time of worry to most mothers. Baby's little gums become swollen and tender; he becomes cross; does not sleep well; is greatly troubled with constipation; colic or diarrhoea may sometimes even convulsions seize him. During this period nothing can take the place of Baby's own Tablets. They regulate the bowels and stomach and make the teething so easy that the mother considers baby's teething a blessing instead of a curse. Concerning the Tablets Mrs. Arthur Archibald, Bridgetown, N. S., writes: "I find Baby's Own Tablets when baby was getting his teeth, and I found them of the utmost medicine." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The Care Of Cows

Milk fever can generally be prevented by giving cows within two weeks before calving and by giving them a dose of salts as soon after calving as they are able to rise and another smaller dose two days after calving.

Bad milking is a common cause of udder troubles. If a cow's udder is not clean they are liable to go wrong in the head and cause garget, which is their full flow of milk. Another cause is bad teats due to carelessness in drying off the cows.

Cows that have been kept in comfortable quarters all winter will be benefited by a run in the spring. They should be housed for the first few nights and gradually accustomed to green food, otherwise cows are liable to scour, may recover, and may prove fatal if not quickly taken in hand.

Incubator Points

The fumigator is always ready, if the experience makes it necessary, to disinfect it. locate it in a clean place where the temperature will be at least during the day. Level it with a spirit level. Run it a few days before the eggs are put in. Test the thermometer frequently. A reliable thermometer is necessary for good results. Give due consideration to moisture and ventilation. They are essential to the good hatches of good chicks. Give the lamp attention daily. It is important that it work properly.

When there is a lack of egg production, it is scarcely ever attributed to the proper cause. Poultry will not be generally due to some condition that comes because of the management.

HAIG STILL KEEPS MOVING FOE OFFERS STRONG RESISTANCE

(By Philip Gibbs.)

With the British armies in the field, Feb. 27.—The British troops are still advancing all along the line of battle which the Germans in front are withdrawing, but are meeting with some resistance here and there from bodies of men left behind with machine guns to delay the pursuit.

There was fighting to-day with some of these rearguards on the neighborhood of Box Wood and Rossignol Wood, east of Commecourt. The British and German machine guns are out and the German guns put over a shrapnel barrage, but it did not succeed in stopping the British for more than a short time. They took possession of Rossignol Wood and cap tured a number of prisoners and other ground northeast of Puisieux.

FIGHTING AT PUISIEUX.

So far Puisieux itself is not yet in possession of the British, but British German machine gunners are scattered among the houses and defending it with determination in order to delay the place as dearly as possible. Early this morning machine gun fire was directed upon the British troops advancing, but these troops secured in one corner of the line, and other parties are now working through, coming out the defenders and clearing up the hornets' nest.

Southeast of Puisieux the British line began to thrust out far above Miraumont and Beaucourt Devecourt and Loupart Woods are now in our hands, about fries, and small parties of them have taken refuge in a quarry to the north of Loupart.

In the Gommecourt salient the German heavy artillery fired a large number of shells into Miraumont, and is scattering high explosives about the fields in a general way.

The rearguard mentioned is not serious, only affairs of outposts armed with deadly machine-guns, which makes them unpleasant to handle. There is no doubt that behind the positions the main strength of the Germans are still retreating to new lines of defence.

REVIEW OF THE OPERATIONS.

Reviewing the operations of the past week, Sir Douglas Haig, Commander-in-Chief of the British forces in France, Feb. 27, says: "Enemy resistance all along the line of our advance continues to stiffen, and at any time since the movement began there is no indication as yet of a fixed purpose by the Germans to make a definite stand, but they are doing everything possible to interfere with the British advance. To the rear, outposts were immensely strengthened, and there is heavy fighting with the British forward patrols.

The Germans prepared carefully for their retirement, apart from choosing the moment when spring thaw would make pursuing with a new depths of clinging mud.

Specials From Our

WHITE GOODS SALE

While this announcement features ladies' wear, yet every department has white goods on sale and you do well to buy all needs now.

New Whitewear

NOW ON SALE

Prices are Right

Corset Covers of fine white Cotton, yoke of embroidery and trimmed with lace edging; sizes 34 to 44. Special each.... **25c**

Corset Covers of good White Cotton, yoke of lace and lace trimmings; sizes 34 to 44. Special at **40c**

Other Leaders at 29c, 50c, 75c, to $1.50.

Ladies' Gowns in Slip-over style, made of fine White Cotton and trimmed with embroidery. Sale Price **59c**

A large assortment of Ladies' Misses and Children's Gowns in open front and slip-over styles; lace or embroidery trimmed. Ladies' sizes 75c to $3. Misses' and Children's sizes, $1, 75c, 60c, 50c.

Underskirts—Ladies' and Misses' White Underskirts, lace or embroidery trimmed, many different styles to choose from at $4.25 down to $1.25, $1, 90c, 75c.

New House Dresses

In Percales, Ginghams and Chambray, light and dark colorings; long or short sleeves, sizes 34 to 46; also the extra large sizes, 39 to 51. Prices range $2.25, $1.75, $1.50 and $1.25.

SPECIAL—A special line of Ladies' House Dresses in Percales and Ginghams, neat checks and plain colors; also black and white, sizes 34 to 46. Very special value at each **$1**

New Middies

"Admiral," the middy that is made to please you, a really well known line, made of white drill with long or short sleeves, extra good quality, all sizes at only.... **$1**

Other styles at $2, $1.50 and $1.25.

Dress Goods Specials

$1.25 SERGE 89c

54 in. wide, pure wool navy Serge, good, medium weight, for skirts, dress or suits. My splendid last year's value at the regular price **89c**

$1.79 CHEVIOTS $1.19

An elegant heavy weight all wool navy Cheviot, suitable for separate coat, skirt or suit. A snap **$1.19**

$1.50 SATINS $1.19.

54 in. wide, pure and satining Satin in pretty shades of Copenhagen, Sax, blue, navy, old gold, Spanish gold, Wood End Special **$1.19**

Men's Specials

SERGE SUITS $15.00

Men's Navy Serge Suits in fine Twill and particularly good make. The cloth these are made from is of good quality and fast dye and to-day are worth $17 to $18 .... My Your choice, each **$15**

CARHARTT OVERALLS AND SMOCKS

Buy Carhartt Overalls and Smocks, the line with a reputation and the ones guaranteed to give satisfaction. We carry them in plain blue, navy blue and white stripes with Smocks to match. Per garment **$2**

GIRLS CORSETS AT 75c

LADIES CORSETS 79c, $1.00, $1.25.

REST ROOMS

On the second floor for ladies—a good place to meet your friends.

STOUT FIGURE CORSETS, SIZES 26 TO 36— $1.25 and $2.25.

J. Sutcliffe & Sons

LINDSAY

We are showing many new Corset Models for Spring

IMPORTED LACROSSE

Rival Ottawa Clubs Brought in Famous Men

The revival of lacrosse in Ottawa brought back memories of the glorious days of the national game throughout the days of "Joe" Kent, of Perth county, Dan Carson, the late Harry James, Barney Lamb, the late Dave Coulson and many others, who helped M.A.A.A. to become famous in athletics. Lacrosse has been popular in Ottawa since 1876. Baseball gradually made great strides during the Canadian Golden Age, but failed to penetrate the blood of the old lacrosse lovers. Playing back in the palmiest days of the Ottawas, the Metropolitans, the Capitals and the Victorias, one finds that their members included many who have distinguished among Ottawa's leading business men. It was necessary, even in those days when every youngster carried his lacrosse stick around, to import players. Lacrosse, in fact, was responsible for many players coming to the Capital. The old Ottawas, then under the management of Mr. Jack Graham, and Mr. J. A. Seybold and others, brought in players from the cities down in the late eighties. Keen rivalry existed at times between the Ottawa and Capital clubs and many exciting and close contested battles for the championship honors.

DAN PATCH'S RECORDS

To give an idea of Dan Patch's great career the following records are to his credit:

One mile in	1.55
Two miles in	3.54
Twice miles in	1.56
Three miles in	5.40
14 miles averaging	1.54½
15 miles averaging	1.54½
16 miles averaging	1.54½
20 miles averaging	1.54½
30 miles averaging	1.56
120 miles averaging	2.02½
124 miles averaging	2.02½
Lowered world records	14 times
Mile record, 1906	1.58
Half-mile track record	1.55
Mile track record	1.57½
Trotting record	2.01¼
Best to high-wheel sulky	2.04¾
Half mile in	0.58
Half-mile in waves	0.58½
Half-mile on ½ mile track	0.59½

Sale Mar. 3, '17

By public auction there will be offered, no reserve:—

16 head of cattle, all kinds.

2 pure bred Hol. cows, 7 years old.

10 grade Hol. cows, all under 7 years old.

10 grade Dur. and Ayr. cows, 5 to 7 years old.

5 cows showing signs to renew.

27 cows, above are all due before April 15th.

15 head young cattle for grass purpose.

2 new milch cows.

7 horses of all kinds, workers and drivers.

2 setts single harness, new.

2 pr. horse blankets.

2 doz. halters expected.

TERMS

7 months on cattle, 60 days on horses, by parties furnishing approved notes. A discount at the rate of 7 per cent will be allowed for cash on credit amounts, on all sums over $15. $15 and under, cash.

W. A. FANNING, Prop. G. JACKSON, Auct.

POWLES' CORNER

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. W. H. Bowles, Public School inspector, visited our school Wednesday Feb. 21st.

Mr. Jas. S. Brown is busy every fine day with his gasoline wood cutter.

An additional supply of coal was delivered at the school house last week by A. and C. McFarland, of Fenelon Falls.

Miss Nellie Howie, of Cameron, was the guest of Miss Rita Rutherford, Sunday last.

Mrs. George Jarkett, of Fenelon Falls, spent Sunday last with Mrs. W. H. Powles.

Mr. Fred Going, of Lindsay, occupied the pulpit here last Sunday.

The many friends of Mr. P. Bagshaw had a warm hand shake and hearty congratulations for the brave lad upon his return from the battlefields of France.

Mr. McDonald, of the firm, Laidlaw & McDonald, has been in this locality purchasing young cattle.

Mrs. M. A. Hopkins, of Peterboro, and Miss Cora Perrin are visiting relatives here and at Fenelon Falls.

We did not hear from any one staking a claim in Omemee up to see March coming in and February going out.

COBOCONK

(Special to The Post.)

Miss Rita Rackow spent a few days visiting friends in Peterboro recently.

On Friday evening of last week the young people here held a dance, in the hall, here. A good crowd was in attendance and everyone reported a good time.

Mr. Edward Stubbs is visiting here with Mrs. Hallet.

The stork visited our village last week and left a fine big baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Crowley.

Miss Lena Teatro, of Lindsay, spent a few days with her sister here.

Mr. Ray Hall has a business visitor to Lindsay last week.

Mr. Roy Shields of here spent a few days in Lindsay the past week.

Mrs. N. W. Breault returned home this week from a visit with her son in Orillia.

How the average man dislikes another who is smarter than he is!

There's very little to be gained by being a knocker.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 56, Chapter 121, of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, that all persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Mary A. Leary, late of the Township of Manvers, in the County of Victoria, a married woman deceased, who died on the fifteenth day of January, 1917, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned solicitors for the executor of the will of the said deceased, on or before the twelfth day of March, 1917, their names, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims, duly verified and the nature of the security, if any, held by them. And further, take notice that immediately after the twelfth day of March, 1917, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received, and they shall not be liable for the proceeds of the said estate or assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they had no notice at the time of distribution.

Dated at Lindsay, this 26th day of February, 1917.

MOORE & JACKSON,
Solicitors for the Executors.

LINDSAY MARKETS

Lindsay, March 2nd.

GRAIN QUOTATIONS

Bran—$2.00
Barley—$1.19.
Buckwheat—$1.20.
Oats—65c.
Rye—$1.20.
Goose wheat—$1.45.
Wheat, spring—$1.35.
Wheat, fall—$1.61.
Shorts—$2.25
Rolled oats—$4.00.
Flour, best Manitoba—$5.00.
Flour, best pastry—$4.45.

PRODUCE PRICES

Eggs—45c.
Dairy butter—38c—40c.
Potatoes—$3—$3.10 a bag.

CATTLE PRICES

Cattle—$7—$9.
Hogs—$13.75—$14.25.
Lambs—$13—$14.
Sheep—$7.50—$8.50.
Hides—$14—$16.
Wool, unwashed—36c—37c.
Wool, washed—46c—47c.

RETAIL PRODUCE MARKET

Following prices are being charged by Lindsay stores to the consumer:

Butter—42c.
Creamery—48c.
Eggs, strictly fresh—50c.
Eggs, held fresh—48c.
Potatoes—90c; per $2.35 bag.

LINDSAY FARMERS' MARKET.

Following prices were received by farmers' wives at the Market Hall, Lindsay, March 2nd.

Eggs, strictly fresh—48c.
Eggs, strictly fresh—45c—50c.
Chickens—22c—25c.
Chickens—25c.
Hens—15c—18c.
Geese—22c—25c.
Turkeys—35c—40c
Cream—40c. qt.
Potatoes—$1.10 bag.
Hay—9c—11c.
Hogs—$14.
Straw—$4 load.
Cattle—$8—$9.

FOR SALE

FARM FOR SALE—Bargain if taken at once. Situated in Emily, containing half lot 3, con. 10; 100 acres, 85 acres cleared, balance wooded. There is a frame house on farm, barn, (large log); two wells. Six miles from Lindsay and two from Sonerville. On leading rural mail route. For particulars, apply W. O'Neill, Lindsay-street south, Lindsay, Ont.

FAM FOR SALE—Lot 18, con. 3, Eldon. 200 acres; 120 under cultivation, balance in timber and pasture. Good soil. Good fences. Good house and buildings. Plowing done. Close to school and market; rural mail route. A good opportunity to secure a first-class farm at reasonable price. Apply to Murdock Campbell, R. R. No. 5, Woodville, Ont.

FARM FOR SALE — Farm of one hundred and twenty-six acres. Frame house, frame barn, 40 x 110 ft., stone foundation, first class land, good for grain or for a dairy farm; four miles from the town of Lindsay, on gravel road, underdrained. Plenty of water. One mile and a half from Bethany on the Ontario, Simcoe & Huron Railway, and one mile from the G. T. R. junction; same distance from Cedardale post office and school. For further particulars apply to Owner, Box H, Cedardale.

AUCTION SALE NOTICE

THURSDAY, MARCH 1st. — Farm stock and implements, the property of Thos. Cleaver, lot 1, con. 1, Mariposa. Sale at 1 o'clock. W. J. Marquis, auctioneer.

WANTED

APPRENTICES WANTED — Millinery apprentices wanted at once. Wages paid. Apply Miss Mitchell, Millinery Parlors, Kent-st.

WANTED—Competent man for work on Home of Refuge Farm. Apply to R. G. Robertson, Lindsay, or J. P. Brass, Oakwood.

BROWN'S MUSIC STORE sells pianos at $200 and up with 7 different makes from which to select. Also new and second hand organs and all other kinds of musical instruments together with books of sheet music of every class. Repairs and orders for goods promptly attended to.

WITH THE MILITIA

Officer—What's the matter with that soup you're turning up your nose at?

Private—It's full of sand and grit.

Officer—Now look here, my man, did you come to camp to grumble or to serve your country?

Private—Both. I did come to serve my country, sir, but not to eat it.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

FEBRUARY 27th

Toronto Cattle Market

Choice weighty steers	$10.50	$11.25
do. medium	9.50	10.25
Butchers' choice handy	9.50	10.25
do. good	8.50	9.00
do. medium	7.50	8.00
do. common	6.50	7.25
Butchers' cows, choice	8.00	8.75
do. good	7.40	7.85
do. medium	6.50	7.00
Butchers' bulls, choice	8.00	9.25
do. good	7.50	8.00
do. medium	6.75	7.50
do. common	6.00	6.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	7.75	8.50
do. med., 700 to 800	7.25	7.75
Stockers, 700 to 900 lbs.	6.60	7.00
do. common light	6.00	6.75
Cutters	6.25	6.75
Canners	5.50	6.00
Milkers, good to choice	80.00	100.00
do. com. and med.	50.00	70.00
Springers	65.00	100.00
Calves, veal, choice	14.00	14.75
do. medium	13.00	14.00
do. common	6.00	7.00
do. grass	5.00	6.00
do. heavy fat	7.00	10.00
Spring Lambs, choice	14.00	15.00
do. culls	9.00	11.50
Sheep, ewes, light	12.50	13.50
do. heavy and bucks	8.50	9.50
do. culls	6.00	7.00
Hogs, fed and watered	14.75	15.00
do. f.o.b. country	14.00	14.00

Toronto Grain Markets

Manitoba wheat—Track, bay ports, No. 1 northern, $1.96½; No. 2 northern, $1.93½; No. 3 northern, $1.89½; No. 4 wheat, $1.78½.

Manitoba oats—All rail, delivered, on route, C.P.R. and C.N.R. points not embargoed; No. 2 C.W., 76c to 76½; No. 3 C.W., 73c to 73½; extra No. 1 feed, 73c to 74c; No. 1 feed, 69c to 70c.

American corn—No. 2 yellow, $1.12, subject to embargo.

Ontario wheat—Winter, new crop, No. 2, $1.75 to $1.77, according to freight outside; No. 3 winter, $1.73 to $1.76.

Ontario oats—According to freights outside; No. 2 white, 63c to 66c; No. 3 white, 60c to 62c.

Peas—No. 2, $2.45.

Barley—Malting, $1.21 to $1.23.

Buckwheat—$1.25.

Rye—No. 2, new, $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags, $11.60; seconds, in jute bags, $11; strong bakers', in jute bags, $10.80; Toronto.

Ontario flour—Winter, new, track, Toronto, prompt shipment, according to sample, $7.75 to $7.85, in jute bags; $7 export grade, bulk, seaboard.

Manitoba feed—No. 1 northern, Montreal freights: Shorts, $43; bran, $38; good feed flour, per bag, $2.75 to $3.

Hay—Track, Toronto, extra, No. 2, $17, mixed, $15 to $16; track, Toronto, $9.

Cereals—Rolled oats, carlots, per bag of 90 lbs., $3.25; small lots, $3.40; Windsor to Montreal. Oatmeal, $3.90 in carlots, $4.15 in small lots.

Wholesale Produce

Toronto wholesale prices to the trade:

New-laid, cartons	$ .54 to $	.55
do. ex-cartons	.52	.53
Selects		
Creamery prints, fresh	.45	.46
Creamery solids	.44	.45
Creamery solids	.42	.43
Dairy select prints	.38	.39
Ordinary dairy prints	.35	.36
Bakers'	.31	.32
Cheese—New, large, 25½c; twins, 26c; jums, large, 27½c to 27¾c; twins, 28c to 28½c.		

Poultry—	Dressed
Spring chickens, lb.	28c to 29c
Old fowl, lb.	22c
Turkeys, lb.	32c
Live Poultry—	
Spring chickens	25c
Chickens, 4 lbs. and over	24c
Chickens, 3½ lbs. and over	23c
Chickens, ordinary	22c
Fowl, ordinary	22c

Beans—Japanese hand picked, $6.35; prime, $6.15; Canadian, hand picked, basis, $7.35; prime, $6.75.

Potatoes—Delawares, $4.75 a bag, in carlots.

East Buffalo Cattle

Cattle—Receipts, 3,200; active and steady. Prime steers, $12.50 to $13; $11.50; butchers, $7.25 to $10.60; heifers, $6.60 to $9.75; cows, $4 to $8.50; bulls, $4.00 to $9.25; stockers and feeders, $5.50 to $9.50; fresh cows and springers, active and 25c to $5 higher.

Veals—Receipts, 1,200; slow and lower; $5.50 to $14.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,500; active and lower; heavy, $13.65 to $13.75; a few at $13.85; mixed, $13.85 to $13.90; yorkers, $13.75 to $13.85; pigs, $13.25 to $13.50; roughs, $13.40 to $13.60; stags, $10.00 to $11.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 9,300; slow and lower; wethers, $11 to $14.65, a few at $14.75; yearlings, $14.50 to $15.25; ewes, $12.00 to $12.50; lambs, $9.00 to $11.75; mixed sheep, $11.00 to $12.00.

Chicago Livestock

Cattle—Receipts, 16,000; market strong; beeves, $7.50 to $12.90; stockers and feeders, $6.35 to $9.30; cows and heifers, $3.25 to $10.25; calves, $8.00 to $12.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 61,000; market easy, 15 to 20 cents lower; light, $13.60 to $13.85; mixed, $13.60 to $13.85; heavy, $13.70 to $13.85; rough, $13.70 to $13.90; pigs, $9.75 to $11.50; bulk of sales, $13.80 to $13.85.

Sheep—Receipts, 19,000; market weak; lambs, nominal, $13.10 to $14.50.

Seed Quotations

The following are the seed prices Toronto wholesale dealers are paying to country points:

Alsike, No. 1, bushel ..$19.00 to $19.50
do. No. 2 ..... 8.50 9.00
do. No. 3 ..... 7.00 7.50
do. rejected 4.25 6.00
Timothy, cwt. 3.00 5.00
do. com. grades 2.00 3.00
Red clover, No. 1, bu. 7.50 8.00
do. No. 2 ..... 9.00 9.50
do. No. 3 ..... 8.00 8.50

ADVERTISE IN THE POST.

PROCEEDINGS OF ELDON COUNCIL

Council met in Kirkfield Feb. 24. Mr. S. G. Henson, who was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the migration of W. R. Foster, subscribed to the declaration of office and of property qualification.

Sam McKinnon asked Council to pass a by-law to allow Cambray Telephone Co. to erect poles for line in front. Necessary by-law passed.

Duncan McCallum, of Cardew, re road allowance between Eldon and Cardew Co. claimed fence along Mr. Taylor's property was on road allowance and wanted same removed because road was too narrow. Mr. Taylor acknowledged contention, but intends to remove it to place if possible next summer.

E. J. Taylor re the road 20th con. line north of Kirkfield being blocked with snow on account of the close rail fence on west side of road. He had planned 4 rod road allowance when he was willing to accept $5 if wire fence was built.

John Ward re winter road cut on con. 5 so that he could get to his ranch without having to go around to the north.

Truman—McGillivary — That Mr. Ward be permitted to cut timber on road allowance between concessions 4 and 5 and have it for his own use. Carried.

Solomon Kearns presented account for $5.50 for repairs to his auto, on account of a broken down culvert which he had been told, without being sent for 6 days on the Portage Road. Account allowed.

Mr. McDonald asked council to notify Mr. John Ewens to remove fence on Portage Road across the 9th con. road allowance to correct pit. Council ordered fence removed.

A by-law appointing Pathmasters, Fenceviewers and Poundkeepers, was passed.

Communications were read as follows: R. H. Thorne re road on the 8th con. line north of Kirkfield village being blocked and he wanted $10 for unveiling it. Filed.

M. A. Lindsay re a portion of Portage Road at brow of hill east of Kirkfield, which is dangerous at times as to stop traffic. Councillor McGillivary, who owns property at this spot, stated he will remove trees and fences at this point next season.

Department of Public Works Canada notified council that lease No. 18275 for Canal lands to Edward Mayhew had been cancelled owing to the death of Mr. Mayhew.

Secretary of Bureau of Industry, Toronto, re list of members of the Police Village of Kirkfield.

Minister of Finance re the advisability of investing their money in war loans.

Board of Railway Commission stating that they have received application to permit C.P.R. would clean out north ditch along roadway between lots 19 and 20, con. 7.

Secretary of Patriotic Committee, asking for a list of contributions from municipality for patriotic purposes.

The County Crown Attorney, asking to have all fines which were collected by Eldon Council remitted to him.

Archie McFarlane, asking to be relieved from the duties of Pathmaster. Mr. McArthur, asking to be relieved from the duties of Pathmaster.

The following accounts were passed: Jas. Stewart, gravel for Kirkfield Portage Drain, $39.14, general ac. $18.90; The Warder $14.14; Wm. McKee, lumber $7.07; H. Stacey, $17.10; Municipal World 46; Flavelles Ltd., $12.60; Rod Moran $1.50; Auditor's Fee $18; W. J. Mitchell $10.

Councillors were appointed for wards of Township as follows: No. 1, Augustus Veale; 2, S. G. Henson; 3, Sam Truman; 4, David McGillivary.

The Auditor's report for the year 1916 was read.

McGillvary—Truman—That Council adjourn to meet on the call of Mr. Clerk. Carried.

C. E. Martin, of Lindsay, Ont., took place in Holy Trinity Church on Saturday evening, Feb. 24th, at eight o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Saunders, rector of Holy Trinity, assisted by Rev. Mr. McCollum. Miss Margaret Miller attended her sister, and Mr. Harold Dean attended the bridegroom. Little Miss Ruth Miller left on the midnight train for Leamington, where they remained until the 28th, when they left for a short trip to the draft for overseas and Mrs. Martin returned to her people in Edmonton.

McCAFFREY—SHEAKER.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fair, Dovercourt Road, Toronto, was the scene of a quiet wedding, when Margaret Elizabeth, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeffery Sheaker, Omemee, was united in marriage to Mr. Harry Shearer of Buckhorn. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers and the color scheme being carried out in pink and white. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. McCollum. The bride, who was unattended, wore a gown of white crepe de chine and tulle with veil and orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of orchids and lilies of the valley. Mr. and Mrs. Shearer left amid showers of confetti and good wishes for a honeymoon in New York City, after which they will reside in Buckhorn. Miss McCaffrey was one of Omemee's popular young ladies and her host of friends here join in wishing her every happiness.

OMEMEE

(Special to the Post.)

Miss Sadie English has gone to New Liskeard to resume her duties, after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. English.

Mr. Dewey Gerrard and son, Master Harold, of Lindsay, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nugent.

The Ladies' Aid of Farm Stock and Implements owned by Mr. Samuel Wilson, was well attended and the high prices paid were above the average. Mr. George Jackson, of Port Perry, conducted the sale in his usual able manner.

Mrs. James has returned from Toronto after visiting her daughter, Miss Helen James.

JANETVILLE

(Special to The Post.)

Miss Poet, teacher of Fleetwood school, visited Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Mcoll over Sunday.

Mrs. Wellington Irvine is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mrs. McCahey and daughter, Florence, of Lindsay, visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wright on Sunday last.

Miss Annie Dill spent a few days with friends in Lindsay recently.

Mr. Bernie Helm, of Smith Falls, spent Sunday with his cousin, Mr. Robt. Burn.

Miss Mossie Hutchison is visiting friends in Peterboro.

Mr. James Porter has sold his fine hardwood bush to Mr. J. Carew, M.P., at $100.

Miss Mae Arthurs spent a few days with friends in town last week.

Mr. Wm. Owens, of Flavelles, Ltd., is canvassing the farmers of this district for cream for the coming season. All reports are satisfactory from last year.

Mr. Harry Tinnie, of Cavanville, is making a flying trip around our village and purchasing a number of fine horses.

Mr. John McDowell is in Toronto attending the funeral of his sister, Mrs. T. Elliott.

Don't forget the concert given by the I.D.K. Club on Friday, March 2nd. A good programme is being provided. P'rocess of the Posse.

OBITUARY

HECTOR McDONALD

Oakwood, Feb. 28—The death of Mr. Hector McDonald took place on Tuesday, Feb. 27th, at the age of 71 years, 6 months, after only a few days' illness. The funeral will from his late residence, lot 4, con. 8, on Thursday, March 1st and the interment will take place at Salem cemetery.

THE LATE MRS. C. H. SHEPHARD

Oakwood, Feb. 28—The funeral of the late Mrs. C. Henry Shephard took place on Tuesday afternoon from the home of her brother, Mr. Thomas Richardson. Rev. S. H. Spence, of Little Britain, (superintendent of the district) assisted by Rev. J. H. Robins, held a very impressive service at the home, after which the remains were laid to rest beside her father in the Riverside cemetery, Lindsay. The bereaved family have the sincere sympathy of their many friends in their great bereavement.

JOSEPH CAYLEY.

At the Ross Memorial Hospital on Wednesday afternoon, Joseph Cayley, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Cayley, of Ops township, passed to his eternal rest at the age of 37 years.

The deceased took ill about two weeks ago, and hopes were entertained at first that he would soon recover. His illness was of a very serious nature, however, that he was removed to the hospital.

The death of Joseph Cayley,removes a young man of exemplary character, and his passing will be felt by all who knew him. He received his education at Kenny's school and grew to manhood honoring the esteem and confidence of his community. To the bereaved parents and relatives the sympathy of all will be extended. The deceased is survived by his mother, four brothers, James, Patrick, Frederick and Francis, and one sister, Mary.

MR. DOUGALD SINCLAIR

The death took place on Tuesday, Feb. 13th at the residence of deceased on No. 9 section, Fenelon. Deceased was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. D. Sinclair, and was well known and highly respected resident. He had not been in good health for a year or more, but was able to assist with the farm duties and attend the church services until a short time previous to his death. Deceased was born 74 years only nine or ten days, the news of his death came as a great shock to his many relatives and friends. The funeral on the following Thursday was very largely attended, and was conducted by Rev. Mr. Foster, Methodist, who spoke feelingly of the life of deceased. He was laid to rest in the Methodist cemetery. Rev. Mr. Robbie, Peter, John and Thomas. One brother, Mr. Alex Sinclair, of Burrite, was unable to be present. Besides these brothers he is survived by one sister, Miss Christie Sinclair. He will be much missed in the home and community, also in Glenarm church, where he was a faithful member. Deceased has the sincere sympathy of the sorrowing family and friends.

HYMENEAL

ADAMS—IRWIN.

Omemee, Feb. 26—In Port Hope on Feb. 22, Miss Ella Irwin, Omemee, was united in marriage to Mr. Joseph Irwin, of MacGregor, Man. The bride is a former Omemee resident, while the groom is a popular and prosperous business man of MacGregor.

MILLER—MARTIN.

The marriage of Miss Isabel Robertson Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander Miller, of Lieut. Reginald George Martin, of the 4th Battalion, Canadian Expd. Force, C.E. Martin, of Lindsay, Ont., took place in Holy Trinity Church on Saturday evening, Feb. 24th, at eight o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Saunders, rector of Holy Trinity, assisted by Rev. Mr. McCollum. Miss Margaret Miller attended her sister, and Mr. Harold Dean attended the bridegroom. Little Miss Ruth Miller left on the midnight train for Leamington, where they remained until the 28th, when they left for a short trip to the draft for overseas and Mrs. Martin returned to her people in Edmonton.

FARMERS NOTICE!

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SURVIVOR OF SAXONIAN CREW TELLS OF GERMAN BRUTALITY

London, Feb. 22.—Messrs. Lane and McAndrew, owners of the Saxonian, which was torpedoed on Feb. 7th by a German submarine, write to the Times as follows: "Although we have had seven boats torpedoed by submarines, five of which were lost, on each occasion the one anxiety of officers and crew has seemed to be to get afloat again as soon as possible. There can seem to regard the terrible risks they are running more as a matter of course. The last thing they dream about is recognition of the bravery which they are unconsciously showing. The chief engineer of the vessel reports that the second boat was exposed 63 hours to cruelly cold weather, but the men vied with each other in taking upon themselves to relieve their suffering mates."

An affidavit signed by the first and third officers of the Saxonian reads: "At 5.15 p.m. on Feb. 7, a German submarine opened fire forward. The first of the three shots were evidently for the purpose of finding the range. The second named officer, who was on the bridge, immediately flew an answering flag to indicate that the vessel was bending on to the submarine's instructions. The vessel stopped at once, and all hands were ordered to the boats. While the boats were being taken out shots continued to strike the vessel at the steady rate of about one a minute. Some of the shells burst in the air. The submarine was about one mile or less distant, both officers witnessed the wounding of five of the boat's occupants by shells, which struck just before the boat quitted the Saxonian. The boatswain died of his wounds two hours later. An American fireman, named James Weygant, was wounded by the same shell. The submarine reached the boats 40 minutes after the first shot, taking the captain off a prisoner without making enquiries or offering assistance. One officer counted as many as 27 rds. 15 s. m. Feb. 8, the wounded having suffered severely during the night."

TURKISH ARMY IN BAD SHAPE TIGRIS CAMPAIGN PRODUCES RESULTS

London, Feb. 22.—The present British operations in the Far East are having a definite effect on the general situation by preventing the Turks from sending forces to join their allies on the European fronts, according to General F.B. Maurice, Chief Director of Military Operations at the War Office today in his weekly review of military movements.

Our victories on the Kut-al-Amara and on the Sinai peninsula, said General Maurice, "are having an important influence upon the general situation by reversing the condition prevailing last year, when our failures gave the Turks a chance to send troops to their allies on the eastern front. The conditions are now reversed. The Turks are not only unable to despatch such reinforcements to Europe, but are compelled to draw on their available resources to enable them to hold their positions in the Kut and Sinai areas of operation."

"General Maude, at Kut-el-Amara, has been making a wide swing with his left, relying on his right, which remains stationary at Sannayat. His advance has been steady, resulting in the taking of line after line of Turkish trenches, followed by the successful action at Dahra, when the big bend of the Tigris was cleared of the enemy. We are now in a position to invest Kut-el-Amara.

"HAD NARROW FRONT.

"On the right, at Sannayat, the Turks occupy a narrow front protected by the river on one flank and by a marsh on the other, so that a few machine guns can play havoc with an attacking force. Therefore our advance there may be held up for some time.

"In the Sinai region we have been successful in clearing out several posts that the Turks attempted to reoccupy.

"Pending the necessity of at least holding them on the Sinai front, the Turks have stopped troop movements towards Europe and are sending considerable reinforcements to the threatened points.

"We have had another week of rain in the Sinai region, marked by the noteworthy fact that the Germans made a successful raid at Lagoubi, to the south of Somme Front, where they took 35 prisoners, which is the best they have to show against the total capture of more than 2,000 of their men."

UNITED STATES VESSELS ARE NOW PERMITTED TO CARRY GUNS

Washington, Feb. 23.—There was a two-hour cabinet meeting this afternoon, followed by the announcement that no international situation had undergone no change. Members were more than usually reticent in discussion afterwards, although they indicated that President Wilson still had made no plans for his personal visit to congress to seek authority to protect Americans and their ships from submarines.

No word has been received from Ambassador Penfield concerning Austria's reply to the request for a statement as to whether the Vienna Government adheres fully to Germany's submarine policy, and whether the pledges given in the Ancona and Persia cases are repudiated. Germany is believed to be exerting strong pressure on Austria for a complete defiance of this country and officials here do not conceal their belief that a break is inevitable in spite of the protests of both governments to permit it.

The question of arming American ships has been further complicated by a request from P. A. S. Franklin of the American line not only for guns but for gunners. While the arming element has sanctioned the carrying of guns, no official thinks the government will provide gunners at this time. Aside from other difficulties, the placing of national gunners on a private ship would make her status questionable.

USE CAMPAIGN AS EXCUSE

Premier Lloyd George's speech to the effect that extreme measures must be taken to safeguard England from disaster from the submarine campaign, caused much surprise here because of the frankness of its expression. Some members of the house said that the German submarine campaign had given the British premier just the opportunity he wanted for making a supreme appeal to the British people and of imposing restrictions which he had long desired to put into effect.

The drastic prohibitions of imports were understood here, not only to be a means of saving cargo space, but of enforcing the same general economy in England that has been practiced in Germany during the war. The Germans have found that even with all of January last has been remarkably good on the whole, but there are some districts where the worst of causes only a comparatively small percentage of the crop, and that has turned The names of "military prospects" are now being sorted out, and it is believed the officers desiring them in certain districts.

DEFUNCT BANK WANTS WIDOW'S SHARE

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Telegram: Under a judgment for $1,080 and $15 costs, recovered by the Farmers' Bank in June, 1916, against Mrs. Helen Laing, as a shareholder in the defunct bank, that institution this morning moved for a receiver of any money coming to her under the will of her husband, the late Thomas Laing, who died until February 22nd.

109TH SOLDIERS LOSE THEIR HOMES

(From Friday's Daily.)

Peterboro Review:—So heartbroken out of their home to Lakefield last evening was the misfortune of Mrs. Oliver and Mrs. Barr, the wives of two soldiers who are overseas with the 109th (Lindsay) battalion. Two small children who were in a bed room where the fire originated, were saved from injuries, due to prompt action taken by the women.

The house, of frame construction, was totally destroyed. The summer kitchen and shed were saved. The origin of the blaze is unknown. Mrs. S. Nicholls was the owner of the property and carried some insurance.

Mr. J. W. Stuart, city, saw the fire as he came into Lakefield last night after a business trip in Buckhorn.

GREAT FAMINE NEAR SAYS PROF. LEACOCK

Montreal, Feb. 26.—Prof. Stephen Leacock, of McGill University, addressing the Montreal Canadian Clubs League, at the Royal Victoria College this afternoon, said:

"We are in sight of a terrible food famine, such as the world has never seen. We must take steps betimes if we wish to avoid national and world-wide disaster. We must at all costs increase our own food supply.

"Lands in Canada are fortunately placed. We have boundless resources in land to draw upon. We must see that every available acre and every available day's labor is turned to use.

"It is gratifying to learn that our department of agriculture and our national service commission are wide awake to the situation. Public sentiment behind them the force of public opinion and the efforts of individual citizens."

33 MILLIONS FOR PATRIOTIC FUND

Ottawa, Feb. 21.—The patriotic executive of the Canadian people is strikingly emphasized in contributions to the Patriotic Fund. A grand total of $33,000,000 is now in sight.

When the fund was first talked of the opinion was expressed that the country could do well if five millions were secured.

The successive campaigns have brought forward a total $13,387,744 up to the present, while $14,000,000 is pledged, but not actually paid in as yet. Included in the latter amounts are the latest contributions from Montreal and Toronto.

TIME EXTENDED FOR FILLING CARDS

Ottawa, Feb. 21. — The National Service Commission is sending out notices notifying the public that the time limit for filling in and returning the registration cards has been extended to March 31st. An appealing to all who have so far neglected to fill the cards to fulfil their patriotic duty. The response to the call of January last has been remarkably good on the whole, but there are some districts where the worst of causes only a comparatively small percentage of the crop, and that has turned The names of "military prospects" are now being sorted out, and it is believed the officers desiring them in certain districts.

MARRIED AT 13 SENT TO INDUSTRIAL

(From Thursday's Daily.)

In the police court at Orillia on Friday there was an example of the evil of a young matron for town. A young girl who became a bride at 13 was charged with theft, and sentenced by the Magistrate to the Industrial School. The circumstances from first to last are distressing, and shows the need for assistance in the proper training of children in some homes at least. That a girl of 13 should be left a wife, a mother without her parents' consent is a crime, and having married, she should have been under the proper surveillance until she attained the age of discretion. When the girls parents acknowledged having lost control of their daughter, the state should have stepped in. A police matron might not find many such cases, but the fact that there was one, and nobody cared, is sufficient evidence of the need of some one with a watchful eye on the moral welfare of young girls who live in the street. Parental authority in childhood often leads, as in this case, to detention in later years at the expense of the state. — Orillia Times.

YANKEE TROOPS ON CANADIAN SOIL

Boston, Feb. 21.—Among the speakers at the meeting of the committee of safety here, was Sir Sam Hughes, who told of many things done in Canada in the interests of preparedness, and provided much information that may later prove of value to the committee. Sir Sam paid tribute to the genius of the Canadian people for organization, and gave details in that connection that evoked applause from his hearers.

Sir Sam, speaking at the annual banquet of the Canadian Club, said that Vermont troops, in starting for the Mexican border last summer, had passed through Canada. When the fact came to my attention I suggested that they go around other end of the lake, which was done."

Lieut-Gen. Hughes, after asserting that the United States and Canada are closely acquainted themselves in the war, said he had no doubt that the forces gathered on the United States would do as well if called upon.

TRAVELLERS AND STANDARD HOTELS

Toronto, Feb. 24.—A deputation of the Commercial Travellers' Association discussed with the Ontario Board of License Commissioners today needed reforms in the conducting of standard hotels to meet the needs of the travelling public.

W. J. Moody, chief spokesman, stated that many standard hotels now in Ontario were obeying regulations, but there were others who were not. He deprecated any suggestion that the Board should regulate the prices to be charged by the hotels men a cost reception. Secretary Charles Harper that the Board was not disposed to do this, but if a report was made that any hotels was making excessive charges the Board would investigate.

Mr. Flavelle stated the Board wanted to see fair treatment accorded the commercial men, but it is also desired not to impose too great burdens upon the hotel men when they were making an honest effort to prove whether or not the charges could be made a paying investment.

WOMAN ACQUITTED ON MURDER CHARGE

Peterboro, Feb. 22.—Last night at eight o'clock, after a three hour session, the Jury brought in a verdict of not guilty in regard to Mrs. Dora Dean who was charged with the murder of her infant baby. Alice Douglas, her sister who is charged with attempting to conceal the child's birth is held over till the next Assizes and released on bail.

CHANCE TO JOIN CANADIAN DRAGOONS

(From Thursday's Daily.)

The Editor Lindsay Post:—

Sir,—In this great war, in which Canada is so nobly assisting in maintaining the integrity of the British Empire, the Cavalry have already played a wonderful part, and before this war ends, will have to play a much greater.

It seems that little is known of the Canadian Cavalry, and I am taking this opportunity to point out to you a few of the advantages of the Royal Canadian Dragoons.

The Royal Canadian Dragoons is the oldest regular Cavalry Regiment in Canada, organized in 1842. They saw service in the North West Rebellion, and South Africa, and went overseas with the first contingent, C.E.F., September, 1914. Through all these years the regiment has obtained an esprit de corps, which it is impossible to expect in newly formed units.

The depot is stationed at Stanley Barracks, which is a regular barracks and not a make-shift. The work is interesting, and a man is not held back at the request of critics. It is a regular. It. Being part of the permanent force of Canada, well-conducted men are allowed certain privileges, and at the same time, no longer period of a service is entailed than in the C.E.F. The pay is also quite as good as in other units; 1.10 per day, and for married men, Separation Allowance of $20.00 per month.

Drafts go overseas continuously, either as a unit, or right over as soon as fit, without having to wait until the whole unit is up to the mark. Promotion is therefore rapid. This should appeal to ambitious young men. Why walk when you can ride? If you can't ride, learn to ride.

I hope this will meet with your consideration, because it must be understood that the way to victory is only to a successful and speedy termination, without your assistance. Think it over.

Application for enlistment can be forwarded to Royal Canadian Dragoons, Stanley Barracks, Toronto, or to 152 Bay-st., Toronto.

Yours truly,

Frederic A. Warren, Lieut., R.C.D.

Officer I. C. Recruiting.

LINDSAY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE SESSION

The February meeting of the Lindsay Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. T. Hy. Whitmore-st., Friday afternoon, Feb. 16th, with a splendid attendance.

The meeting opened in the usual way with the President, Mrs. Mills, occupying the chair. After the singing of The Maple Leaf, followed by prayer, the usual routine of business was attended to.

Mrs. W. Pym, convenor of Red Cross committee, reported sending 111 pairs of socks during the trenches during the last month to boys whose names had been given to her by different members. Also a quilt was donated by a very pleasing solo and responded to an encore. Miss Maude Clarke also gave a splendid piano solo and her usual good form.

Mrs. Milne gave an interesting talk on "Economy in Food," at the present time when food stuffs are scarcer so high.

Mrs. Williamson was then called upon to give a report of what other "Institutes" were doing, which she did in a very able manner.

A committee of the following ladies Mrs. Mills, Mrs. Pym and Hughes ford were appointed to make an inspection of the Isolation Hospital, with a view of ascertaining the most beneficial way that the money raised for that purpose by the Institute could be best expended. Report to be given at next meeting.

A discussion arose as to ways and means of adding funds to the Red Cross treasury, and it was finally decided to hold a sale of home cooking and to serve tea on the afternoon of Friday March 16th from 2 to 4 at the Institute Hall, on the corner of Glenelg and William-st.

The meeting closed in the usual way by the singing of the National Anthem and the serving of a dainty lunch by the hostess and her committee.

"He's a clever photographer."

"Makes pictures of people as they look?" I presume."

"Not exactly that. He makes them as they think they look."

DUTCH FLOTILLA WAS DESTROYED PROVOKES OUTBURST IN HOLLAND

London, Feb. 25.—A fleet of seven Dutch vessels which left Falmouth (at the western end of the English Channel) on Thursday was attacked by German submarines shortly after it had left port, and three of the vessels were sunk and four damaged severely.

Three of the ships were outwardbound from Holland and four homeward bound. The steamers had arrived at Falmouth on various dates, and had been released at the special request of the Dutch Government.

No enquiry was made of the British authorities as to what was the best way of sailing or as to the proper precautions to take, as it was believed the ships were sailing under safe conduct from France, Germany, and the captains received special private instructions from the Dutch Government. As official of the Dutch Legation at London went to Falmouth and interviewed privately the captains of the seven ships so as to be sure that they understood the instructions. The vessels bore the customary lights and flags.

It is generally believed that the new invasion of Dutch neutral rights will not lead to war. The Dutch themselves are anxious to avoid the submarine outrage, while the predominant wish in Germany is also desirous at this stage to avoid further complications. Talk of stoppage of all Dutch shipping was general yesterday. Whatever action may be taken it is evident means must be found to enable Holland to continue the use of her merchant fleet, on which her existence depends.

It was the submarine U-2 which attacked all seven Dutch steamers. Three were torpedoed outright, while the remainder were boarded, the other four and placed bombs which were exploded. So far as known, these four did not sink, but the other three shouts have not been ascertained, with the exception of one, the Medea, which was towed into harbor by a British trawler. The crews of the Dutch vessels rowed to the Scilly Isles, believing that all their ships had been sunk.

BRITAIN WILL CUT OUT IMPORTS AND INCREASE HOME PRODUCTION

London, Feb. 22.—Premier Lloyd George today presented to the House of Commons, in a speech lasting an hour and a half, his scheme for coping with the problem of shortage of shipping space. The speech was a serious and grave effort, the Premier giving his audience little opportunity for applause and endeavoring to concentrate attention on the gravity of the situation with which the nation is faced, owing to the shortage of foodstuffs and the German submarine menace. His program for dealing with the situation was under two heads, the first to increase home food production, and the second the curtailment of non-vital imports.

THE SPECTRE OF HUNGER LAND

Under the first head, Mr. Lloyd George outlined a scheme for speeding up the farmer by guaranteeing a good price for his commodities over a period of years, thus inviting him to plow up more and put his whole plan land. This he supplemented by the announcement that the owner would be actually forced to cultivate his land.

The speeding up of the British farm laborer — wherein the Premier has been regarded the poorest paid laborer in England—was provided for by the freeing by Parliament of nearly a million men of 25 shippings per week instead of the present 1 in 10 shippings.

SAVE MILLIONS OF TONNAGE

Under the head of curtailment of imports, Mr. Lloyd George said the proposal to reduce the demands on cargo space by several million tons. Foodstuffs, of which 1,000,000 tons are already here considerably curtailed, most henceforth get along with 1,000,000 tons less than they are receiving, thus saving 640,000 tons. Certain savings also will be affected in the import of timber, which now amounts to 8,000,000 tons annually and in lumber which at present is 4,000,000 tons.

DOMINION PREMIERS THERE

There was a crowded house at the public meeting held here to listen to the Premier's statement on the restriction of imports, and the question of agriculture. Among those in the diplomatic gallery were Premier Borden of Canada, Premier Massey of New Zealand, and many representatives of allied nations and the Dominions. For the purpose of the ultimate success of the allied cause depended on the solution of the tonnage problem which Britain was now confronted. Before the war British tonnage had been just adequate, and since then three times as much in enormous increase in the demand for tonnage. More than 1,000,000 tons of British shipping had been withdrawn to France alone, and a very considerable amount had been set aside for Russia and Italy. In addition a considerable amount had been sunk.

VERY GRAVE SITUATION

(Canadian Press Despatch.)

London, Feb. 23.—Premier Lloyd George said in a speech in the House of Commons today that the success of the allied cause depended upon their ability to solve the tonnage shortage which was now affecting the food supply of the nation and military exigencies. The situation, he declared, called for the gravest measures.

The Premier said there was no sure way to victory without hustling the submarine menace.

Enormous sacrifices were necessary from the British people, said Mr. Lloyd George. He added that the Government proposed to dispense with all non-essential importations to a minimum.

SHORT EVEN FOR MILITARY PURPOSES

Mr. Lloyd George said that for some time there had been a shortage of tonnage required for the general needs of the nation, and that the shortage in the tonnage for military purpose. The nation should realize the situation which the condition was.

"If we take drastic measures," he continued, "we can cope with the submarine menace, but if the nation is not prepared to accept drastic measures for dealing with the menace, disaster is before us.

"The Government is hopeful of finding means of dealing with the submarine, but we should be guilty of folly if we acted casually upon the expectation of realization of that hope. We have to deal ruthlessly and immediately with the tonnage problem by measures which impose great sacrifices upon the country.

THREE MEASURES POSSIBLE

"There are three sets of measures: First, by the navy, as described last year, (Admiral Carson, Lord of the Admiralty); second, the building of merchant ships; third, economizing the tonnage now imported from abroad, and production of as much food as possible at home."

TO ENCOURAGE FARMING

The Premier announced that the Government would guarantee a price of 55 shillings a quarter for oats this year, 52 shillings for the next two years and 24 shillings for the following three years. The price of potatoes would be guaranteed for the coming season only, at £6 a ton.

The plan was expressed by the Premier that food prices were not likely to decrease for a long time to come, and that the Government was going to grant to the farmers a minimum price over a definite period of years. Thus, he said, the only way to bring about immediate action.

The Premier also proposed a minimum wage of 25 shillings weekly for agricultural workers.

Mr. Hoover.—Could you give me a little money, dear?

Mr. Hoover — Certainly, darling. About how little?

"Mamma," asked the little girl, peering in between two uncut leaves of the magazine, "how do they get the printing in there?"

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THAT AMAZONIAN BATTALION.

Capt. "Itam" Burnham, M.P., Peterboro, is original as well as humorous at times. His latest stunt is in the nature of an offer to raise an Amazon battalion—female corsets—to take the place of the men doing clerical work with the forces on Great Britain. The member for Peterboro, be it known, has so far realized an entanglement in the meshes of love's young dream, enjoying single blessedness for many moons. Should he become active in recruiting the proposed battalion, it might result in his "drawing up" in the army of the benedicts. You can never tell.

LOOKING TO NEXT HARVEST

A despatch from Rome says—The International Institute of Agriculture has published a report under the title "Has the World Enough to Eat This Until the Next Harvest?"

The report took into consideration five unfavorable factors, the failure of the northern hemisphere, harvest of the year ending July 31, and particularly those of Canada and the United States; the unreleased crops of Russia, owing to the continued closing of the Dardanelles; the extra and unusual consumption of food by the armies; the increased difficulty of transporting crops; and the fact that normally the world's consumption of food increases year by year, partly due to population increases, and whereby a crop which does no more than attain to an antecedent is actually an insufficient one.

The general conclusion of the report while not favorable, indicates that in every nation, irrespective of those at war, carryings close economy there may be a narrow margin of surplus food left at the beginning of the next harvest year. It is to hope that that should the next harvest be no better than the present the situation will be serious.

HOW TRUCE WAS ADHERED TO.

The Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier in a public statement issued to the Press, on Aug. 4th, 1914, stated:

"I have often declared that if the Mother Country were ever in danger, or if danger even threatened, Canada would render assistance to the full extent of her power. In view of the critical nature of the situation, I have cancelled all my meetings. Pending such great questions there should be but a truce to party strife."

To show how the Conservative party observed to the truce and how faithfully they thought of it, we also quote an extract from a speech delivered by the Hon. Mr. Kemp, now Minister of Militia and Defence, before the Albany Club in Toronto on March 6th, 1915. His reference to the truce is as follows:—

"I want to say that there is no truce between the Liberal Conservative party and any other party, and never has been. There may have been a truce on some trivial matters, but on the big issues we are prepared for war. We are proud of our principles. Why shouldn't both parties get out and discuss their policies?"

SHRINK FROM THE PROBE.

One of the points on which the Ontario Government has always shown itself both nervous and distracted has been the Public Accounts Committee. The latest evidence of this nervousness and the latest effort to act dictatorially, is the attempt of the government to keep Mr. Dewart off the committee.

It has always been the unquestioned right of the Opposition to nominate its own members on the committees of the House and the attempt of Hon. Mr. Ferguson, who for years has been known as the chief blocker in the Public Accounts Committee and of Mr. Hanna, shows that the government are still afraid of free investigation into the finances of the province. They have evidently shrunk from the threshold of another keen, critical mind probing into government accounts. Mr. Fergusson, Mr. Lucas and all the Conservative members of the striking committee voted against Mr. Dewart's nomination to the House. The Liberals, however, kept up their vigorous objections to the high-handed procedure and forewent a stubborn fight in which they would be at a disadvantage, the government packed and Mr. Dewart to-day a member of the Public Accounts Committee. For this much thanks. The committee's coming sessions of the committee may be expected.

WAR SAVING CERTIFICATES.

The new War Savings Certificates which have been created by the Government to encourage thrift and economy and to give everyone an opportunity to share in the support of our War expenditure, are now on sale at every post office and bank throughout all Canada. The $25 certificate sells for $21.50, the $50 for $43, and the $100 for $86.

As an investment these certificates offer many attractive features—chief of which is that a definite security and the excellent interest return. For every $21.50 lent to the Government now, $25 will be returned at the end of three years.

There are two other features which are especially interesting to small investors. First, the certificates may be surrendered at any time, if the holder should need his money and second, each certificate is registered at Ottawa in the name of the owner, and if lost or stolen, is therefore valueless to anyone else.

But while they are excellent from an investment standpoint, the certificates should appeal strongly to Canadians because they offer to those who must serve at home a splendid opportunity for a most important patriotic service. The person who devotes himself to the extent of his ability and places his savings at the disposal of the Government by purchasing these certificates, may feel that he is having a direct share in feeding, equipping, and munitioning our Canadian soldiers, who are so nobly doing their part.

CRITICIZED BY ITS FRIENDS.

Some of our good Conservative friends characterize criticism of the Borden Government by Liberal papers as treasonable at this juncture, while at the same time their newspapers persist in a campaign almost of misrepresentation of the Liberal party and its leaders. Occasionally we like to find Conservative papers bold enough to criticize the mistakes of the government, especially the Toronto Mail and Empire, which recently contained the following:

"Absolutely nothing has come out of the talk about getting more recruits to supply the wastage at the front among Canadian troops. The tardiness of the Government about taking action; the reluctance to do anything effective or worthy; the inevitable wails of the Premier over the fact that $6,000,000 were spent in sending unfit men across the ocean and finally create an unintelligible inability to appreciate the situation. The Government have set as any spitter do at the centre of an ineffective web waiting for stray flies to buzz in. The various resolutions to spend $500,000 more on rifles which will be of no use at the front, and the decision not to recruited at home, is on a par with every Government acts and policies. Any strategy that can hold up the Government of Canada for $2,500,000 for useless expenditure must have strong positions to operate with. And of what avail are untruths on the part of the Government for the people to be reconciled. When the Government itself is slapping money around in this way? No wonder the people ask one thing I feel she'll find out."

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Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

INTERNED VESSELS MAY BE USED TO SOLVE SHIPPING PROBLEM

London, Feb. 22.—What is to be done to expedite the construction of ships at home is an all-absorbing topic in the United Kingdom at the present time. It is exceedingly improbable that any labor, such as fitters, boilermakers and engineers, who were formerly engaged in shipbuilding, can be got out of the army. It therefore resolves itself into a problem of how to utilize the labor available. No more men can be put on to work at a particular ship, but it is possible to alter the working conditions so that the output will be expedited. The Daily Chronicle has already stated that the slow progress in new construction is due largely to the difficulty of securing labor. If the piecework system were adopted, as has been proved by experience up to now, a ship could be finished in two months less time.

That is to say, a standardized ship, under what are now the favorable conditions, would take between six and seven months to construct, but if piecework and overtime prevailed, and labor made strenuous efforts, gaining proportionately in wages to the extra effort, the ships could be finished two months sooner. Two months would make a world of difference. While the piecework system has been adopted in about one-fifth of the shipbuilding yards, there is no reason why it should not be extended purely as a war measure. For it is much more important to get more work done in the hour than to get more men to do it. Now labor would be largely unskilled, and at present there is really not so much a lack of labor as unequal distribution of labor among the yards and slow rate in which the work is carried out.

3,000,000 NEW TONS THIS YEAR.

All shipbuilding yards are being used at present, except those requisitioned by the Navy. We could add in standardized vessels alone, under improved conditions, 1,200,000 to our tonnage during the present year. Vessels now being built in America and Japan would bring up the total new tonnage of the world to nearly 3,000,000, and the ships, whether built by our ally or by America, will be used very largely in the carrying trade of the allies. It is probable, too, that some German interned vessels will be set at liberty, but probably not in the present phase of the war.

The public may have to be prepared for a drastic reduction of imports which are not considered essential, which is another means of assisting to meet the shortage of shipping.

ONE SUBMARINE IS LOST TO EVERY FOUR OF ITS VICTIMS

New York, Feb. 21.—It is because Britain has defeated the submarine campaign in her home waters, forcing Germany to range the open seas in search of victims, that the United States fears the employment of war over the renewed U-boat ruthlessness, according to Admiral Sperry, naval expert and lecturer. Mr. Noyes arrived here recently from an inspection tour of the fleet, and for several months, in the course of which he cruised on submarine-hunting trawlers.

Mr. Noyes said that the best figures he had been able to obtain from official British sources entitled him to estimate that one U-boat was lost for every four vessels sunk, and he subscribed to the theory that Germany's last heats of estimating the number of subsea boats sunk since war began. On the first, he said, of three, he said, there was a gathering in Britain to celebrate the sinking of the fiftieth U-boat. The silhouette was seen in the homes of many officers at naval bases beautifully polished periscopes were fashioned into lamps, or otherwise as household ornaments. Each had come from a German U-boat. The first step of brass and take a high polish, which, he said, made them really ornamental. Hundreds and 200 submarines had been destroyed.

MANY PATROL VESSELS.

There are between 2,000 and 4,000 patrol vessels guarding the British isles against submarines, he said, and these are composed of fishing boats of trawlers, private yachts, and vessels from Canada and the other colonies. Each is armed, usually with a Hotchkiss gun of 12 or 14 pounds type, which discharges an explosive shell. Each carries, besides, between 1,000 and 1,500 yards of steel net, weighted to sink to the bottom, and fitted with floats, apparently, under the destruction or anything that becomes entangled.

"They never dispose of a U-boat I am not at liberty to say," declared Mr. Noyes, "but it must be easy for them to do so, as many have been found. Can't you imagine your Mr. Eilson devising a way of destroying anything that touches one of his nets."

He would not admit that the nets were electrically charged, as it was suggested his remarks seemed to indicate.

"Many of the skippers of these trawlers and patrol boats are Scotchmen," said Mr. Noyes. "In fact, there are between 60,000 and 70,000 fishermen who would have been unfitted, trained and practised, even to gunnery, for anti-submarine service. All are seamen who range in age from the twenties to the three score and ten."

INVISIBLE INK IS BANNED

Ottawa, Feb. 24.—An order in council makes it a crime to use invisible ink in any letter or document sent out of Canada.

FURTHER SUPPLY OF SERVICE CARDS

(From Monday's Daily.)

Reconsideration is asked by the National Service Board of those persons who did not file the National Service cards. The time for the return of the cards has been extended to March 31st, and it is hoped that within the next month many of those who failed to give the information during National Service week will respond to this request.

A further supply of cards is being sent to each postmaster in Canada. Toronto did exceptionally well in filling in the cards, but those who failed to give the information required can obtain a card at the post office.

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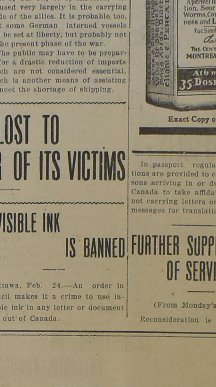

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BY W. R. FORAN.

Two of them toppled over on their backs, scattering a few feathers in the air, struggled a moment to regain their balance, and then writhed into quiet.

The others rose with shrill cries of alarm to a short height, only to settle down once more, with a clatter of closing wings, in their former positions.

Then they hopped cautiously toward the bodies of their fellows; and in a few minutes nothing except bones and feathers remained.

Stewart watched with a deep sense of futile rage. Presently they would treat him and his charger in like manner. He broke the revolver and shook the cartridges into his palm—only three more were left him.

"Oh, the cruelty of it all!" he moaned, and his voice had a hopeless, defeated note in it.

"The base cruelty of it! You Mac"—he stroked the sympathetic nose of his charger—"can't even speak—can't even protest against your fate! And yet I cried to a God of all mercy for help! Help! Mercy! Bah, there is no such thing as mercy in the world."

An insane laugh rang out from his bleeding lips, frightening even the vultures into a bustle of momentary fear.

"Mercy!" he sneered bitterly, and a gleam of madness darted into his eyes. "There is no God of Mercy! Why, even the Christian religion is a cruel one! God set out to make the world—and made a rotten job of it, too. So rotten a job, Mac, He had to send His only Son down here to rectify His rotten craftsmanship. Had His Son brutally tortured and murdered to repair His own sins of omission! Call that mercy! Ha, ha, hah!" the fiendish laugh of the madman echoed again over the desert; and the vultures, industriously picking clean the last bone of their dead comrades, flapped noisily away to a safter distance from this barbaric noise.

"Yes, the God Almighty is a God of cruelty—not of mercy! What have we done, you and I, Mac, to deserve such a fate—to be lost, starved, and die of thirst in this hell on earth? We're both doomed to the same end—you who can't even speak and I who can. Merciful! Bah! there never was such a thing as mercy anywhere."

The mumbled mutterings of his disarranged mind ended, as they had begun, in a loud, hoarse laugh, again frightening the scraggy-necked vultures into a rustle of wings as they retreated.

Stewart rose unsteadily to his feet and tottered drunkenly in their direction, shaking his fists, while tears of weakness ran down his sun-blistered face. And as fast as he advanced the vultures hopped gingerly backward to safety.

Suddenly he paused and held the revolver before him. His dazed brain had suddenly conceived an idea, awakened into being by the sight of the weapon of death. His eyes covetously devoured the blue-steel army-revolver as the germ in his mind took root.
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"Yet there's a way out—of a kind," he laughed very low and sanely now. "It may be cowardly—but who cares? No one has the right to judge my actions now—only myself!"

Walking slowly back to his charger, he held the weapon against the white star in the center of its forehead.

"Three shots left, Mac," he murmured softly; "one for you—no, two for you to make sure your end is quick and painless. I'll be merciful, Mac, even if God isn't. And then one for me."

His eyes brightened and a wistful smile of infinite sadness lit up his face for a moment and then faded away, leaving it more harsh and determined than before.

"We'll cheat 'em, you and I, Mac. Yes, cheat—cheat!"

He shouted the last words in defiance at the birds gathered in their unclean circle once more.

"We can't cheat you, you devils, for you're bound to come in for your meal. That's our legacy to you—a-ha!—'With all our worldly ashes we thee endow,' eh, what? That's pretty foxy, Mac—sort of marriage and funeral service combined. Ha, ha, hah! But if we can't cheat you, confound you! we'll cheat God and save ourselves a slow death by torture—same as He gave His own Son."

The Arab stood still, softly caressing its master's hand with its nose. Stewart patted it gently on the neck with one hand, while the other, still clutching the revolver, dropped behind his back.

"Sorry, Mac, can't give you any water," he whispered tenderly to the horse; "the old bottle's run dry—forgot to fill it or something—what the duece does it matter how it happened, anyhow? There isn't any; that's all. You and I, Mac, are just going to play a little hand of 'bridge.' We'll be partners and cheat to win. See the game, old boy?"

The Arab muzzled him pitifully, and he patted it again to soothe it. A gleam of humor came into his crazed eyes as he continued his monologue in a hoarse whisper, jerky and confused.

"My deal, I think; then God's play; no, He's played His hand. His card was this mess we're in. You're dummy, Mac, and so I'll play your hand for you. Then God's play again. The third player always plays his highest, remember? Then I play, and—I'll cheat!"

He shouted out the final word fiercely, and laughed long and low over it.

"We're playing a 'no trump' hand this time, and the vultures are the side-bets. Yes, that's it! But I've never cheated in my life before, and I may not know how to do it; but we'll try, partner. Now, all ready? Begin, then! Here's my card—a nice, fat one to begin with."

He held up his revolver and cocked it carefully.

"God played out of His turn, and so it's your hand to play, Mac; and you're dummy, so I'll play for you." He raised the weapon quickly, placed it against the patient horse's temple—and fired.

The Arab grunted, tottered for a second, and then sprawled over in a heap, kicking out with all four legs.

Stewart bent down and fired again into its ear—a convulsive shudder and then all was still.

And the Arab's spirit sailed away to the horses' heaven, its tortures over for all time.

Stewart enviously looked down upon the dead charger, watching the thin stream of vermilion spurt from the rent in its head and run in a narrow trickle along the face of the sand, only to be speedily sapped up by the greedy desert-throat.

Almost crazed with thirst as he was he could not bring himself to lick up the blood of his dumb friend.

He turned abruptly on his heel and staggered away, heart-sick at the horrible temptation which had come upon him. And presently he cast himself, face downward, upon the sand.

The vultures hopped discreetly closer, scenting the beginning of the feast from the smell of blood.

They arranged themselves in an orderly circle not more than ten yards away, eagerly stretching out their long, bald necks—and waiting."

For a space Stewart lay inertly where he sprawled; and the vultures at length gathered courage from the sight of his motionless figure.

They began to edge daringly nearer, until finally one, more courageous or more venturesome than its fellows, picket at Stewart's arm—hopping backward immediately as if it were playing a game of "tag."

The stab of the bird's cruel beak sent life quivering to Stewart's brain, and he rose gradually from the ground until he stood swaying drunkenly upon his feet. The vultures again sought safety in flight.

Feverishly he gripped his revolver; one bullet still remained. He started to reel across the desert. He could not kill himself near his dead charger; he wanted to be alone—with not even a dead horse as a witness to his end.

"It's still my play, God," he mumbled cunningly between his clenched teeth, as he stumbled on; "and—I'm going to win—by cheating."

The vultures were following quietly afte rhim, but he paid no attention to them. He was engrossed with the game he was playing and had forgotten the bird's very existence.

At last he halted, his legs refusing their duty, and sank to a sitting position on the red-hot sand.

His hand rose steadily until the muzzle of the revolver pressed against his right temple, his forefinger tightened on the trigger, and he stared dully at the danicng desert shimmer toward the horizon—seemingly immeasurable, yet revealing nothing. It was to be his last look upon anything on earth and—Good Heavens, what an outlook!

"Surely," as the Arabs themselves say, "when Allah made the Sudan, he laughed." And Stewart, remembering the phrase, could almost hear the fiendish cackle of the laughter echoing over the sterile waste.

Above the fanciful mocking of that cynical mirth his ear caught suddenly a distinct vibration of sound—something tangible and recognizable even from a distance.

He turned swiftly over on to his knees, supporting himself by one hand—the burning of the sand passing unnoticed—and listened attentively. A strained look of half hope, half incredulity, began to light up his passionless eyes.

Again he caught the sound, and, as he looked toward its direction, beheld a dim but obvious blot on the quivering rim of the desert. For a long minute he scrutinized it; then scrambled totteringly to his feet to get a better view.

"The obelisk!" he exclaimed at last wonderingly. "The obelisk! Thank Heaven!"

A crackling report again broke out across the desert—more distinct and definite this time. A moment later he was running in short, groggy rushes toward it, still holding his revolver.

"A volley!" he cried softly. "My men searching for me!"

His limbs relaxed and he collapsed in a heap upon the desert. The vultures, seeming to sense they had lost part of their feast, rose dejectedly into the air with much fluttering of feathers and chattering and began to wing back their way to where the dead charger still awaited their pleasure.

And as they flew Stewart raised his revolver tremblingly until it pointed at the brazen dome of blue above him. Slowly he pressed the trigger—and the bullet whined spitefully through the smoke-wreath after the birds of ill-omen.

"I'll reach—Erdebe—after all," he mumbled sobbingly as he buried his face in the blazing sand, which greedily drank up his salt tears of thankfulness.

And then through his blackened lips, in a scarcely audible whisper, filtered the words:

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WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MADE SHIPMENT

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West Ops Branch:—16 pairs socks, 11 day shirts, 19 surgical shirts, 43 handkerchiefs, 30 tape sponges, 43 mouth wipes, 1 suit pyjamas. Total number articles, 163.

INVALIDED SOLDIERS RETURNED HOME

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Three invalided soldiers arrived home last night from overseas, and were met at the station by the members of the Soldiers' Aid Commission. They were Pte. Fleming, who is suffering from a shrapnel wound in the foot, and who is visiting at Mr. J. Way's, Melbourne-st. Pte. Bagshaw, of Cameron, who has been twelve months in France, and who is suffering from a shrapnel wound in the hand; also Pte. Court of Lindsay, a resident of the East Ward.

A prairie fire gave the Calgary firemen a run, while at Banff a winter carnival is in full swing.

CARL ASHMAN WINS MEDAL IN COLLEGIATE ORATORICAL CONTEST

(From Friday's Daily.)

An evening of rare literary and musical entertainment was afforded the large audience who gathered in the Collegiate Assembly room last night to hear the addresses delivered by six of the pupils in an oratorical contest for a medal donated by Mr. J. W. Deyell, an old L. C. I. graduate.

Excellent speeches featured the contest and the boys could not have chosen more timely topics on which to speak. The speakers delivered their addresses with the ease and grace of natural-born orators, and great care and study were shown in their preparation.

THE CHAIRMAN.

Mr. Newton Smale ably acted in the capacity of chairman, and in beginning his remarks referred to the shadow of sorrow under which the gathering assembled after the untimely death of a brilliant and promising pupil, Miss Helen Welch, who had been so suddenly taken away.

Mr. Smale, continuing, referred to the good old days, a quarter of a century ago, when he was a pupil in the school, and was one of three on the same platform endeavoring to uphold the honor of the good old school. The school has turned out many young students who are to-day doing honor to the institution in civil and military life.

BASIL ANDERSON.

The first speaker called upon was Mr. Basil Anderson, whose speech was entitled, "Belgium." Mr. Anderson, in a most eloquent and graceful manner, dealt with the constitutional make-up of that brave little nation, referring also to the nations concerned in the struggle in her defence. The speaker, in turn, dealt with the Allies' Peace Demands, the colossal programme of Germany at the beginning of the war, and the brave resistance of the Belgian nation to the Hun invasion. Inotations were also given from the celebrated Bryce report on the desecration of Belgium, and in conclusion Mr. Anderson voiced the pledge that no true Briton will sheath the sword until we have won back all and more than we have lost.

FRANK BRIMMELL.

The next speaker was Mr. Frank Brimmell, who made a stirring appeal for "National Sacrifice." The great part our Dominion is playing in this great struggle was ably dealt with by the speaker. Canada has done much but there is still greater need for self-sacrifice and patriotic enterprise. The lesser things must be set aside in order that we may serve our country best.

Mr. Brimmell also paid tribute to plucky Belgium who sacrificed cheerfully to preserve her honor, and if we are to preserve our liberty we must awake to our sense of responsibility. If this is a war of exhaustion, self-sacrifice will win.

MAURICE WOOLDRIDGE.

"Citizen and Citizenship," was the title of the address ably dealt with by Mr. Maurice Wooldridge. How many of the resolutions which we make at the beginning of the year, said the speaker, directly concern ourselves? Equality at the conclusion of the war will keep pace with equality of citizenship. Citizenship reacts and it's up to the boys of Canada to-day to say what our country shall be in years to come. We are taught citizenship by our teachers because they are old enough to realize its value. If good ideals are placed before our children they will have no desire to evade the law. There are three types of citizens. First, the general class, who are not the most desirable, because they go through life without a definite purpose. The second may be a pleasant character in a way but he is looking too much for his own welfare. The third and essential citizen is the one who believes in working for the good of his neighbor and the community at large. "Be a man," is the first contribution to one's country.

CARL ASHMAN.

Mr. Carl Ashman, whose masterful address on "The End of the War," won for him the medal, was the next orator called upon. Mr. Ashman dealt in a convincing manner with the two possible results of the war, namely, Victory for the Central Powers, or Victory for the Entente Allies. I am an optimist, said the speaker, and cannot see any other result but ultimate victory for the Allies, but only by presenting a united front will the glorious end be obtained.

The history and aims of Prussia were in turn dealt with, and a synopsis of how her plans worked out. We know too well what German domination would mean and peace at the present time would prove disastrous.

A stirring call to service was voiced by the brilliant orator who in conclusion said that we in Canada or in the Empire cannot afford to rest on the achievement of past efforts, when the goal is in sight.

HOWARD ALLELY.

Mr. Howard Allely, who chose as the subject for his address, "Canada Unprepared," was the next speaker, and in a thoughtful and clever manner compared the history of the Kingdom of Prussia with that of Canada, and the widely different ideals which the people of the two countries were taught. The German lust for world domination and Canada's lack of preparation when hostilities broke out were commented upon. Canada's wonderful response to the nation's call and her wonderful preparation were singularly dealt with, and the wastage of material and men in the manufacture of liquor when they are sorely needed otherwise was condemned. The Motherland is setting us an example and we must not fail to respond at this crucial time.

THOS. MANGAN.

The last speaker was Mr. Thomas Mangan, whose address was entitled, "Why Britain is at War."

Mr. Mangan paid a glowing tribute to the glorious record and achievement of the British Empire, and also her respect for the small and weaker nations as compared to Germany's lust for world power and her breaking of solemn treaties.

Britain entered the struggle not alone in defence of national honor, but she has guaranteed it with blood. Her men have gone into the very jaws of death to uphold the liberty and freedom of the nation.

The judges, who were Messrs. Wm. Flavelle, C. E. Weeks and T. A. Stinson, then retired and the Sumphunny Orchestra again made a big hit and kept the audience entertained until the return of the judges. Miss Helen Paton, the popular conductor, was presented with a handsome "tin" medal by the president of the Literary Society. Miss Paton, in a humorous reply, stated that she was glad to see that the people were heeding the notice to save old tin which appeared recently in the press. The orchestra, she informed the audience, had failed to return to Europe because they feared the loss of their valuable instruments by the ravages of submarines. The lives of the members was apparently a secondary consideration.

Mr. Kirkconnell, in a few well chosen remarks, thanked the donor of the medal and also eulogized the work of Mr. Jennings, whose work along literary lines was a tower of strength to the school.

Mr. Weeks, who was spokesman for the judges in giving their decision, highly complimented the speakers on their excellent showing. Their work was a revelation and credit to the school.

The winner of the medal was then presented with the prize by the donor, Mr. J. W. Deyell, who gave a neat speech complimenting the winner and referring to his associations with the school. Mr. Ashman accepted the medal with a few well chosen remarks.

Excellent musical numbers were contributed during the evening by Miss Vera Jackson, who favored the audience with a piano solo, Miss Staples, a talented vocalist of the school, contributed a solo and Mrs. Blackwell, who has always been a good friend of the Collegiate, rendered a pleasing vocal solo, thus adding another to the many favors shown the school.

It was announced by the Chairman that a medal will, in the near future, be donated for oratory among the young ladies of the school. The oratorical contest will be an annual event.

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BOBCAYGEON

(Special to The Post.)

Master Omer Edgar left on Tuesday for Midland, where he expects to remain for some time as an employee of his uncle, who owns the Brown bakery. Mrs. Edgar accompanied him as far as Lindsay.

Mr. Will Lewis has moved his stock and other effects to Guelph, having bought a farm near that city.

Mr. Wilson, of Grenfell, Sask., is spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. W. C. Moore.

Miss Green, of Wingham, is visiting her brother, Mr. R. J. Green, of the C. P. R.

Mrs. White and Mrs. John Kennedy, of Dunsford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Killaby.

Mr. and Miss Archer have been visiting their uncle, Mr. Wm. Loucks.

The railway embargo has been hard on shippers. Car lots of baled straw have been ready for shipment, but "nothin' doin'" A carload of mill machinery billed to Lindsay stood on the siding for days.

Two rinks, skipped respectively by W. A. Davis and D. Hetherington, left for Peterboro on Monday afternoon to bring back the Bottum-Fitzgerald trophy. They also intend entering the bonspiel, and have laid plans to bring back a few choice prizes.

Davis' rink won the contest arranged among the local rinks, and will now play Skip Aldous, of Fenelon Falls, home and home games, for the shield presented by Mr. R. M. Mason, M. P. P.

Ice is being harvested and the crop is too good. The packers claim that it is too heavy to handle.

Mr. Wm. Germyn, who has conducted business as a general merchant in the Orr store, is retiring from business, and in the future will confine his attention to his farm, on the town line south of Dunsford.

A child of Mr. Ald Oliver's is critically ill with pneumonia.

The carnival on the 16th inst. did not draw as large a crowd as usual, but a good many were in costume. Miss Annie Kingsboro won first prize as the best dressed lady and Miss Hilda Phillips as the best dressed girl.

On Sunday afternoon a wave of excitement swept over the village. Though the day was cold it was very fine, and Mr. Richard Nicholls resolved to have the pleasure of a drive, and incidentally exercise his spirited roadster. When nearing home on the return journey, the animal, to show its kittenish spirit, jumped to one side of the road and run the cutter on a snow bank, and quicker than wink the vehicle upset and threw the occupants out and the horse was free. It dashed across the bridges at a pace faster than the law so made and provided allows, and turning east at the Rockland corner the cutter slewed into the verandah and striking a post, was wrecked. After an anxious search up hill and down dale, the animal was found in the woodshed of the Methodist church, which speaks well for the example that has been set the beast since in its present owner's possession. Mr. Nicholls' nose was bumped in the upset, which made the claret flow and his face by the time the horse was caught was as Helen's babies would say, "all bluggy."

Mr. W. T. Comber, of Hillcroft school slipped going up the steps which lead to the loft of his barn, and got a nasty fall, cutting his head on the cement floor below, and getting a general shaking up.

Mr. Ed. Wood, who has been in Port McNicoll visiting his daughter, Mrs. Moss Anderson, returned Monday.

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AMENDMENTS TO TEMPERANCE ACT

Toronto, Feb. 23.—Premier Hearst answering in the Legislature a question by Mr. Rowell as to whether it was the intention of the Government to bring down amendments to the Ontario Temperance Act, said the Government was considering recommendation for the better enforcement of the Act, which would appear as amendments to the measure.

Hon. Mr. Lucas stated that amendments to the Workmen's Compensation Act would be brought down in a week or ten days.

Only a few have signed up as a result of the recruiting campaign of the 186th Battalion at Chatham.

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PATRIOTIC SERVICES AT OAKWOOD TWO INSPIRING ADDRESSES HEARD

(From Monday's Daily.)

The patriotic service held at the Oakwood Methodist Church last evening under the auspices of the 32nd Battalion was most impressive. The pastor, the Rev. Mr. Robins, occupied the pulpit, which was effectively draped with the National colors. During the service Mrs. Blackwell sang in a very sympathetic voice, "Hold Thou My Hand," and Sergt. Allen later rendered "The Lord is My Light," in a splendid voice. Miss Sullivan, organist of the Baptist Church, presided at the organ, the musical part of the service being thus perfectly complete. Special patriotic hymns were also chosen in harmony with the service, the whole congregation singing with fervor, strikingly significant.

Mrs. MacIntyre gave a most able address, her subject being "Consecration," in which she emphasized the all pressing need of every member of the Christian Church applying the beneficient teachings of its doctrine in their daily life. Christian service, she said, was one truly of deeds, not of words, and in this connection she emphasized the great responsibilities that rested upon every member of the Christian church to-day. Think, she said, of the all appalling sacrifices that our Canadian boys are making for us. What in turn is our service for them? All can and must do more, and the deeper things of life should ever be our watchword. The lesson from "Mary's service, not Martha's," was then emphasized. Mary, having chosen, as Christ said, "the exalted," and "higher" things of life. The present day material prosperity was then considered. One Lindsay merchant had informed her just the other day that his business last year exceeded $7000 over his anticipated turnover. This is significant of the commercial life but what is our prosperity to us from, in plain fact she stated, "the war." Therefore, our responsibilities to-day are truly very terrible. Christ came and offered Himself as a supreme sacrifice that the full atonement might be made, therefore in our daily Christian service let our consecration prayer ever be one for a complete and entire surrendering to Him. Then and only then can our "consecration" be acceptable in His sight, and our national life established on truly christian foundations.

Lieut. Morden followed, first thanking the Rev. Mr. Robins on behalf of Major Thompson, the acting commanding officer, for his courtesy in permitting the service to be held in his church. The connection of Christ throughout the vast Dominion of Canada had done grandly, he said, for Empire's cause, and well to-day may the Church go hand in hand with the State in so existing the cause of national service, for in this titanic strife the gravest in our history, the very foundation of our institutions, whether they be religious, political, social or otherwise, is trembling in the balance. Mrs. MacIntyre had just beautifully expressed to us what a consecrated service was, and consecration to one's God is truly consecration to one's country. He did not come, he said, to deliver a recruiting address, but a consecrated enlistment to-day is beautifully and strikingly intertwined with a consecrated christian service. Why had recruiting been so restricted? Simply because our young men had allowed the vision of an exalted national service to become dimmed. Nobly imbued by his mighty power nothing would keep us back. And why do we hesitate? Because we have not stated we are to-day too prosperous. The huge foreign demands have created incredible huge domestic demands, and the commercial fabric of the nation is thereby sound. Sir Frederick Taylor and Sir Byron Walker had announced the condition however, as being absolutely unsafe, and therefore in our deep pondering let us not forget our fearful responsibility. Never did the men and the young women of Canada face such appalling responsibilities. To-day we put first our prosperity and our profiteering; then later our patriotism. Why should we hesitate regarding future development? The future can well take care of itself. He then referred to his attendance the other evening at the Lindsay Collegiate Institute, where an oratorical contest was held by the Institute Literary Society. Six pupils of the school, he said, each only sixteen years of age, had given an address, extempo, that would do credit to any of our present day parliamentary orators. As for eloquence, I doubt very much if there are in the county speakers to surpass them. He also referred to his official visit to the suburban schools. There are hundreds of capable young men and young women coming next promisingly on. The future truly with more trustfulness in God can well provide for itself. Why then should we linger? Too many young men are taking refuge in the fact of they being producers. That will never bring the day of victory nearer. Germany, our mighty foe, challenges the whole world with her magnificent and efficient mobolization, even bloodthirsty and unscrupulous as it is. In God's time right will triumph over might; yet might likewise can only be overcame by might. In conclusion he quoted Watt's consecration poem:

Were the whole realm of nature mine,
That were a present far too small;
Love so amazing, so divine,
Demands myself, my life, my all!

Accompanying those taking part in the service were the Misses Hughes, Sutcliffe, Edwards, Cunanan and Ryan, Capt. Pettigrew, Lieut. Green, C.A.S.C., and Mr. Miller, of Col. Weatherly's staff.

OBITUARY

J. WILLIAM BENNETT

Peterboro Times: The many friends of Mr. J. Williams Bennett, former hr of the law firm of Bennett & Goodwill, will regret to learn that this popular citizen died yesterday, after a long illness at 218 Gilmour st., where he kept house with his sister, Miss Bennett. The late Mr. Bennett was unmarried. Besides his sister at home he leaves to mourn his death one brother, Rev. Orr Bennett of Ottawa.

MRS. HUGH CARSCADDEN

The death took place at about one o'clock this morning of Mrs. Hugh Carscadden, a well-known and highly respected resident of Ops township.

The deceased, who has been ill for some time, is survived by her sorrowing husband, six sons, Messrs. Theodor and Albert at home; William, Harold, George and Edward in the West, also three daughters, Mrs. J. Graham of Lindsay, Mrs. John Brown, of Ops, and Miss Lillie at home.

WESLEY SKUCE

The sad death took place this morning at Mount Horeb of Wesley Skuce, a well known resident of that place.

The cause of death was pneumonia, and a sad incident in connection with the demise is that three other members of the family are seriously ill.

The deceased is survived by his wife, one daughter and two sons.

MRS. FRED J. SHAW

Mr. W. B. Sparling received the sad news on Friday evening of the very sudden death at 8 o'clock of his sister, Mrs. Fred J. Shaw, of Westmount, Montreal. The deceased was a daughter of the late Prof. George B. Sparling, of Upper Canada College.

LATE CHAS. NIXON

Peterboro Review: The funeral of the late Charles Nixon, which took place on Wednesday afternoon to the Little Lake cemetery and was attended by a large number of his friends from Lindsay, Port Hope and Omemee, as well as Peterboro. The pallbearers were Mr. Nixon's five brothers, Messrs. William, Robert, George, Albert and James Padgett and Albert Rogers, of Lindsay. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. R. B. Grubb.

EDWARD F. CLARKE

Fenelon Falls Gazette: The remains of the late Edward F. Clarke, brother of Mrs. J. H. Brandon, were brought from Buffalo, where he died, and were interred here on Friday last. Mr. Clarke was known to several in town, as he had been a visitor at the home of his brother-in-law on several occasions. His death was quite sudden.

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MRS. NEIL POWERS

Word was received in Lindsay today of the death of Mrs. Neil Powers, of Otonabee township, Peterboro county. The deceased lady had been ill in St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterboro, and passed away this (Thursday) morning at 4.45 o'clock. The late Mrs. Powers is survived by her husband, Mr. Neil Powers, of Otonabee township, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter McAuliffe, of Peterboro, two sisters, Mrs. Neil Murray, of Downeyville, and Mrs. James Sulry, of Downeyville and two brothers, Messrs. Patrick and Mortimer Martin, of Emily. The funeral will take place Saturday morning, February 24th, leaving her late home, Otonabee, at eight o'clock; late home, Otonabee, at eight o'clock. Interment at Ennismore Catholic cemetery.

DONALD A. JACKSON

The death occurred at Sierra Madre, California, of Mr. Donald A. Jackson. He was born in Lindsay, Ont., and had been a resident of Toronto ten years, in business with his father's father, the late Geo. Ward, boat builder. He is survived by his wife and one little son, his mother residing in Sierra Madre, Cal., two brothers, Dr. E. L. Jackson, Sierra Madre, and H. B. Jackson, solicitor and M. P., of Victoria B.C.

The late Donald A. Jackson was a son of the late Duncan Jackson, of Lindsay, a member of the firm of Jackson & McTavish, grocers. Their place of business was where Peter J. G. Edwards' hardware store now stands. Duncan Jackson was a brother of the late John A. Jackson, at one time clerk of Ridon township.

WM. TELFORD DUNSMUIR

Fenelon Falls Gazette: Word was received of the death of Mr. William Telford Dunsmuir reached here on the 6th. It appears he died very suddenly and was conveyed to the home of his father, Mr. A. Dunsmuir. The deceased had been in Vancouver for years ago and enjoyed a childhood of splendid health and activity, but recently it grew to manhood he became suddenly afflicted with epilepsy and went to one of our provincial institutions for treatment, but it proved of a speedy recovery. However, all that the best specialists could do for him was provided, and he passed away in the Woodstock Sanitarium on the 13th. The funeral on Wednesday was largely attended by sympathetic friends and a service of singular appropriateness was conducted in St. John's church by the pastor, Rev. C. S. Lord.

THE LATE HELEN WELCH

The funeral of the late Helen Welch took place at Sunderland on Friday afternoon and was largely attended. Impressive funeral services were conducted at the family residence by Rev. Canon Marsh, of St. Paul's Church, assisted by Rev. Mr. Robertson, of Uxbridge. A brother of the deceased from Toronto and a sister, Miss Mary Welch, of Port Windsor, were home for the obsequies.

About ten local friends of deceased motored to Sunderland on Friday, being Rev. and Mrs. Maconachie, (former residents of Sunderland), His Worship Mayor Kells, Mrs. McDougall, Wm. Leahy, Mr. W. Clarke, of the Collegiate Institute staff, and several students of the Collegiate. Mr. Albert Kirkconnell was one of the pallbearers.

MRS. C. H. SHEPHARD

Oakwood, Feb. 26—A very sad death took place on Sunday evening, Feb. 25th, when Mrs. C. Henry Shephard, of Pleasant Point, passed away at the home of her mother, Mrs. S. Richardson, of Oakwood, after suffering a few days' illness. She was a devoted, loving, Christian mother, and leaves seven young children, the eldest being only sixteen years old, her husband, her mother, one brother and one sister, also a large circle of loving friends to mourn her loss.

J. FRITH JEFFERS.

A Veteran educationalist and author passed away in Toronto on Saturday in the death of J. Frith Jeffers, of Belleville, formerly of Peterboro. Mr. Jeffers was born in Bellefonte, N.Y., the son of Rev. Robert Wellington Jeffers, D.D. He was educated at the Toronto Model Grammar school and the University of Toronto. In early life he was a public school teacher; was appointed classical master at Peterboro Collegiate Institute in 1876 and head master in 1881. Later he became President of the Belleville Business College. Mr. Edwards took up accounting, and for many years was chief auditor of the Midland Railway Co. of Canada during the Presidency of Hon. Geo. A. Cox. He was also identified with the Canada Life and other insurance companies for a time.

Mr. Jeffers was a veteran of the Fenian raid service of 1866. He was married twice, first to Adelaide Keelhoun of Belleville, who died in 1901, and second to Mrs. Turner, of Belleville, who survives him. Mr. Wellington Jeffers of Lindsay is a brother until Mrs. Jeffers Graham of Toronto is a sister. Rev. J. W. Graham and Miss Jean Graham of Toronto are nephew and niece, respectively. Mr. Jeffers was the author of a popular school "History of Canada," published in 1876, of "Bookkeeping" published in 1905, and also, with J. L. Nichols, of "Canadian and American Citizenship," (1896).

MRS. C. WOODCOCK

Haliburton, Feb. 27.—The citizens of our town were deeply grieved a few days ago to hear of the sad and sudden death of Mrs. Cecil Woodcock, of Niagara. The deceased lady, who until a year ago, was a resident of our town, was highly respected by all and the sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved husband and four small sons, who are left to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother.

MRS. A. J. McWILLIAMS

Annie Francis Nurse, wife of Mr. A. J. McWilliams, died at the family residence, Bridgesmith, early Monday morning. She was born in Eunimore 62 years ago, and is survived by her husband and one son, Melville A., who lives at home, Mrs. James Franks of Moosejaw, Mrs. J. Reed, Young's Point, Mrs. T. Franks, Peterboro, and Mrs. G. W. Nurse, of Smith, are sisters. Richard Nurse, of Eunimore, William Nurse of Emily and Robert Nurse of Fowell's Corners, are brothers of the deceased.

HYMENEAL

MILNER—TOMPKINS

At the Baptist parsonage on Thursday, Feb. 22nd, Miss Pearl Harriet Milner and Mr. Brunwell Victor Tompkins, both of Lindsay, were united in marriage by Rev. H. Bryant. They were assisted by Miss L. B. Tompkins and Mr. M. Robinson.

FERGUSON—DOHERTY

Kinmount, Feb. 26.—An interesting marriage took place at the Roman Catholic church, Kinmount, at nine o'clock on the morning of Thursday, Feb. 26th, when Mr. W. Sylvester Doherty, of Kinmount, was united in marriage to Miss Pearl Ferguson, of that town. The bride, who was given away by her father, was attended by her sister, Miss Annie Ferguson, while the bridegroom was assisted by his brother, Mr. Charles F. Doherty.

After the nuptial mass the bridal party drove to the home of the bride's parents, where a sumptuous repast was served, after which the bride and groom took the 3.16 train from St. Thomas on the Michigan Central for Hamilton, Buffalo and other points. The young couple, on their return, will reside in Kinmount.

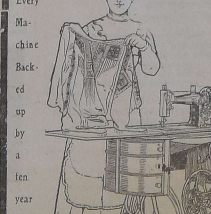
BIRTHS

WORKMAN—At Miss O'Neill's Hospital, on Wednesday, Feb. 21, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Herb Workman, a son.

DEATHS

McLEAN—On Tuesday, Feb. 13th, 1917, at his late residence, second concession, township of Collingwood, John McLean, son of the late Angus McLean, of Mariposa, aged 91 years.

GILBERT—Sidney Joseph, aged 3 years, 2 months, 18 days, son of Mahlon D. E. and Mary F. Gilbert, 66 Winchester street, Toronto, on Tuesday, Feb. 20, 1917.



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KING—REAL—At Lindsay, on Feb. 21, 1917, Mary E. Real, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Real, Blackwater, Ont., to Ambrose King, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. King, Toronto, Ont., the Rev. F. H. McIntosh, of the Presbyterian church, officiating.

McLEAN—BAGSHAW—At the parsonage, Manilla, on Wednesday, January 31st, 1917, by the Rev. Hartshorne, Mr. Hector McLean, fourth son of the late Alex. McLean, and Miss Gertrude Bagshaw, daughter of Mr. Abe Bagshaw, all of Mariposa.

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HINDENBURG AS PRESIDENT OF UNITED GERMAN STATES REPUBLIC

(From Saturday's Daily.)

If there is a revolution in Germany, it will be led by Hindenburg."

This is astounding statement made to me the other day by a neutral military attache with the German Army who has just come from German headquarters on urgent private business to London for a few days.

"What I say is a fact," he continued. "If the Hohenzollern dynasty is to be overthrown, Hindenburg is the man who will overthrow it, and before the war is over you may seen Von Hindenburg the first President of the United German States Republic."

I expressed my anxiety to hear his reasons for this astonishing forecast of events.

RIPE FOR REVOLT.

"Well," explained the attache, "you see, Germany is ripening for a revolution. That you have heard; but Germany is riper for a revolt than many people imagine. It is not merely that the mass of the people are suffering greatly, and are growing daily more discontented and anxious for peace. However great their suffering and their discontent, the masses in Germany would probably never dare to break out into open revolt. There might be riots, but these would easily be quelled by the military authorities.

"But it is not the masses alone who are discontented in Germany. The wealthy middle class are in an even greater state of anger and restlessnes than the masses. Now, wealthy merchants and bankers are not the sort of persons to sit tamely down and watch their business rapidly dwindling away without making themselves heard. I happen to know that a couple of weeks ago there was a private meeting of some of the most influential commercial and business men in Berlin.

"The gathering was held at the house of Herr Ballin, the great shipping magnate. Herr Ballin is one of the Kaiser's most intimate friends, but Herr Ballin is also a business man, and his vast private interests are of much more concern to him than his friendship with the Emperor.

"He point-blank told the meeting that they had been utterly misled by the Emperor, to whom he attributed all Germany's mistakes in the war, and her failure to achieve victory.

"Our loyalty to the Emperor has cost us half our fortune already," he said. "We shall not allow it to cost us the other half." A resolution was passed at the meeting to send the following message to the Kaiser, which reached him at Headquarters whilst there: "Win the war or end the war."

THE ONE MAN.

"And if the Kaiser won't win the war and won't end it, you mean that there will be a revolution in Germany?" I suggested to the attache.

"Wait," he replied, "for a moment. I am coming to that. I believe that there would be a revolution in Germany to-morrow but for one fact—that no revolution in any country, least of all in Germany, is possible that is not supported by the army, and the only man who the army would follow in a revolt against the Emperor would be Hindenburg.

"Von Hindenburg is at the pinacle of his popularity. He is the idol of the German people. For everyone who displays a Kaiser button on his coat twenty wear a Hindenburg button. All the successes that have attended the German arms—and these successes have, of course, been magnified ten-fold in their completeness and importance to the German people—have been scored by the German idol. And if Hindenburg is an idol to the civil population in Germany, he is something even more to the rank and file of the German army. To the soldier he is something like a god. Officers of the German headquarters have told me that when messages from Hindenburg to the troops are read to them on parade they are received with the wildest cheering, whilst messages from their King-Emperor are now often received with no greater demonstration than the official salutes that must be made when a message is given to the soldiers from the Kaiser.

HINDENBURG WAS THERE.

"This popularity of Hindenburg—a popularity far greater than the Kaiser ever possessed—is a most significant thing, and its significance has not been lot on the Kaiser and the Imperial Family. Its significance consists in the fact that it makes a revolution possible, provided it is led by Hindenburg.

"Up to a couple of months ago there was not a shadow of reason to suspect that Hindenburg was not as he still pretends to be—the most zealous, loyal, and devoted officer of his Emperor. Just now I told you of a meeting of merchants and bankers held at Herr Ballin's house. Well, two days later a few of them met again at the residence of Herr Krumper, a wealthy banker and a noted Republican leader. The meeting was strictly private, and what exactly took place is not known; but I heard on the most reliable authority that Hindenburg was present, and that the prospect of a revolt against the Hohenzollern dynasty and the establishment of a Republic in Germany was definitely discussed.

"That the Kaiser heard of Hindenburg's presence at this meeting is certain, and he was promptly summoned to the Imperial presence to explain his presence at a meeting at the house of a notorious Republican.

"I was told by an equerry who was present at that interview between the old general and his Emperor that the former apparently satisfied the Kaiser by saying, with a laugh: "Your Majesty, Herr Krumper the banker is a friend of mine. I know nothing of Herr Krumper the Republican."

"But," said the equery, "I will tell you this much—the Kaiser was not satisfied with this explanation, and he is now watching Von Hindenburg as closely as a cat watches a mouse. You may see Hindenburg dismissed from the army any day."

WHAT MAY HAPPEN.

"And if Hindenburg goes there will be no revolution?" I said, as the attache paused.

"But Hindenburg won't go," replied the attache, "for the simple reason that the Kaiser would now be afraid to dismiss him. It might precipitate a revolution. But the Emperor knows now quite well the danger that threatens the Hohenzollern dynasty. As affairs now stand, that even a partial collapse of the German resistance occur on the Western front. That would give Hindenburg and the Republicans the opportunity that they are now waiting for."

"And then?" I asked.

"To the German people Hindenburg could, in the event of a collapse on the Western front," replied the attache, "present himself as the man who could not only have avoided defeat, but could have achieved victory, only that he was hampered and interfered with by the Emperor. In such circumstances Hindenburg might lead a completely and immediately successful revolt against the Imperial dynasty.

"The Kaiser would be accused of being responsible for the German defeat, and probably the same fate as he has meted out to others would be meted out to him—he would be shot, and the Crown Prince might meet with the same fate.

"Remember, once a revolution starts it spreads like wildfire, and, directed by a ruthless leader like Hindenburg, a revolt in Germany against the Hohenzollern dynasty would be carried out with a completeness that would almost be certain to involve the execution of the Emperor. Such a revolution, however, would not mean an immediate collapse of the German resistance. Hindenburg would probably attempt to carry on the war for a short time; but ere the Allies reached German soil Hindenburg would sue for peace, lay the blame of defeat on the Emperor, and secure for himself and the new German Republic the best terms he could.

"In such a way the war might yet end. One thing is certain. The Kaiser knows the danger that threatens the Hohenzollern rule; and believe me, it is a danger that nothing but peace before the threatened collapse on the Western front can avert.

ROBBED OF HIS POWER.

The situation of the Emperor grows worse daily. Nothing is more noticeable and obvious—than his loss of popularity with the Army.

"There have been occasions when the Emperor has been received by the troops, paraded before him at Headquarters prior to their departure for the fighting line, in absolute silence instead of the spontaneous cheers that in the early days of the war would always greet him on such occasions.

"On one occasion not long since a general commanding a division gave orders to the troops to cheer directly the Emperor came on the parade ground. The troops obeyed the order reluctantly and with a halfheartedness that was all the more noticeable on account of the tremendous and spontaneous cheers they accorded to Hindenburg when he arrived shortly afterwards. So furious was the Kaiser at this that he declined to utter more than a few words to the troops, and then rode off, bidding Hindenburg accompany him. Hindenburg was also to have addressed the troops, but the Kaiser would not permit him to do so.

"In the decline of his popularity with the Army the Kaiser sees the whole foundation on which the existence of his dynasty depends crumbling away. In the popularity of his general with the troops he sees the sign of the new power that will replace the rule of the Hohenzollerns."

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VALENTIA

(Special to The Post)

The regular monthly meeting of the W. M. S. was held in the church on Wednesday of last week. The program was as follows:

Singing of hymn 129.

Prayer, led by Mrs. Goblin and Mrs. Joseph Mark.

Scripture Reading, by President, Mrs. W. R. Swain.

A good report of All People's Mission, Winnipeg, from 1906-1916, which told of many encouraging results of mission work that have been solved by the Methodist Church and Women's Missionary Society given by Miss L. Sharpe.

Solo by Miss Nellie Swain.

Another interesting paper on Italian Work, Toronto, showing the advancing good that has been done among the Italian families of the city.

Ten pounds of yarn was then distributed to the members for the purpose of knitting socks for the soldiers

A new Watch Tower Committee was appointed: Mrs. A. Mark, China, Miss N. Swain, Japan, Mrs. J. Pogue, India, Mrs. Joblin, North West.

The meeting closed by repeating our watchword.

BURNT RIVER

Special to The Post.)

The Soldiers' Aid Society here, shipped on Monday last to the Red Cross Society, Toronto, another box containing 18 pairs of socks, and hospital supplied valued at $32.

The thaw was greatly welcomed by everybody, only it didn't last long enough.

A curiosity—Mrs. Benson Adkins was somewhat surprised upon visiting her hen house to gather the eggs the other evening, to find in one of the nests, a very curiously shaped egg, scarcely resembling an egg at all in shape. It will be on exhibition in Mr. T. Suddaby's store next week, where any one wishing to see it may do so.

Quite a number of the young people drove over to Coboconk to attend a ball held by the Oddfellows, where they enjoyed a very pleasant evening, arriving home in the wee small hours.

An Arch meeting was held by L. O. L. No. 541 on Friday night, when several members took this degree.

Messrs. Frederick and Joshua Levely, two brothers, keeping "bachelor's hall" and farming a short distance from the village, suffered a considerable loss when their home was burned to the ground one day last week, nothing being saved. Their many friends sympathize with them in their loss.

Miss Alta Hughes, of Fell's Station, is visiting her sisters here.

Mrs. W. Chalmers has returned home after a short visit with her mother, Mrs. J. Hodgson.

Owing to the continued illness of Mr. Hockley, pastor of St. Luke's church, we have been without service for the past six weeks.

Master Allan Booth met with a serious accident, falling, and breaking his collar bone while playing at school.

Don't forget the basket social on the 8th of March. A good programme is expected.

Mr Fred Johnson has arrived home from Donald, where he has been working.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Umphrey have returned to their home in the West, after spending a few months with their friends.

Mr. Geo. Woods, of Fenelon Falls, spent the week end at his home.

Mr. Thomas Shuttleworth was to Lindsay on business on Thursday last.

Mr. Roswell Martin, of Lindsay is visiting at Mr. Wm. Shuttleworth's.

Two of our councilmen attended a council meeting held in Toronto last week.

A flying business trip was made to Lindsay on Thursday last by Mr. A. Woods.

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GERMAN SPY WAS LOCATED AT OTTAWA

New York., Feb. 23.—The World this morning says that the Federal Department of Justice, in its investigation of the spy system, alleged to have been conducted by Albert A. Sander and Charles W. Wunnenberg in the interests of Germany, has discovered that nine men were involved and that one man was sent to Ottawa, ostensibly to do newspaper work, but in reality to gather information to be forwarded to Germany by way of New York. The man, officials of the department say, is now in New York, and will be under arrest within twenty-four hours. While the name of the alleged spy is not made public, it is said that he conducted a news bureau in Ottawa during the reciprocity fight a few years ago, and later did newspaper work for several New York papers.

The Grand Jury will today start an investigation into the ramifications of the bueau conducted by Sander and Wunenberg.

The incorporation of the Ford Tractor Company of Canada, with a capital of $10,000,000, and with a head office at Toronto, is announced in the Canada Gazette.

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For information that will lead to the discovery or whereabouts of the person or persons suffering from Nervous Debility, Diseases of the Mouth and Throat, Blood Poison Skin Diseases, Bladder Troubles Special Ailments, and Chronic or Complicated Complaints who cannot be cured at The Ontario Medical Institute, 263-265 Yonge St., Toronto. Correspondence invited.

POST'S LETTER BOX

The Post does not hold itself responsible for opinions of its correspondents : : : :

BOBCAYGEON WAR WORK

To the Editor of The Post.

Dear Sir,—One of our citizens, lately in conversation with a Lindsay citizen, gathered from the Lindsayite that there was a feeling abroad that we had hardly been alive to our duty in providing funds to relieve the distress caused by the war, and that we would be the better of a visit from some one to spur us up. May I be permitted to say, that from the beginning of the war we had some vision of the great needs that would require relief, and set ourselves to meet these needs, so far as our limited resources would permit. Early in September, 1914, an organization was completed, with most competent officers, whose zeal has never flagged, but who in great faithfulness have given time and thought to the work in hand. No one in the village or surrounding country has been allowed to forget the war or neglect our duty. The Bobcaygeon and District Soldiers' Aid Society embraces the village, and that part of Verulam and Harvey adjacent, and its members have given and worked liberally. The amount of work the women, young and old, have done, at home, and weekly together, is beyond all praise, and in addition to the necessities individuals have sent to sons, husbands and friends, the subjoined wil show how much has been given and how spent: Canadian Red Cross, $539.35; British Red Cross, $100; Secours National, $450; Belgian Relief, $70; Canadian Patriotic Fund, $515; Y.M.C.A. Military Branch, $150; Navy League, $122; Prisoners of War, Bread Fund, $100; Canadian Rest Home Dep., $100; field kitchen 39th Batt., $50; Christmas reminders, 109th Batt., $130,92; printing, $44.45; sundries, $114.90; material for women's branch, $1292.31. Total disbursements, $3779.09.

This leaves about $300 in the treasury and the above givings do not include an amount approximately of $900 collected on Trafalgar Day for the British Red Cross.

The village council will give $600 this year to the local society, and a canvas is to be made in a few days which is expected to yield $1500. We are not claiming to be paragons of generosity. We are not in any Pharasaic spirit making invidious comparisons. All we claim credit for, is that we have been neither blind to need, deaf to appeals, nor lax in efforts.

CIVIS.

Bobcaygeon, Feb. 23, 1917.

ALL MUST SIGN THE SERVICE CARDS

Ottawa, Feb. 22.—The signing of National Service Cards by men between the ages of 18 and 60 years will be compulsory in Canada after March 1st, it is reported here. Action has been taken, it is said, under the war measures act, to make the registration compulsory instead of voluntary, as heretofore. The time for filling in the cards has been extended until March 31st. The work of classifying the cards received is well advanced, but as calls on Canada's registered man power is made by one industry or another fresh assortments have to be made. The work of registering the civil service, which was carried out by a committee of its own members in co-operation with the National Service Board has been completed. As announced it finds some 1,700 members of the service eligible for military service, of whom it is thought 1,000 would be physically fit.

SIXTEEN APPLIED FOR SUPERINTENDENCY

(From Friday's Daily.)

As was announced in Thursday's Post Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brass, of Oakwood, were appointed superintendent and matron respectively for the County House of Refuge, by the special committee of the County Council, Thursday afternoon.

There were sixteen applications for the position, and all were carefully considered by the committee. They were sent in from all over the county, but the committee finally selected Mr. and Mrs. Brass from the number. Their duties will commence on April 1st.

The committee comprised the Warden, A. E. Tiers, J. Lee, N. Ferguson, Chas. Jenkins, R. Howkins, Jas. Robertson and R. W. Wilson.

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DROP IN CANNED GOODS PRICES LIKELY

Toronto, Feb. 23—Produce dealers look for a big drop in the prices of canned salmon, apples, tomatoes and other canned produce as a result of Lloyd George's announcement of restrictions on imports to England on account of the lack of tonnage.

It is pointed out that vast shipments of these Canadian products have hitherto been sent to England.

LEGISLATIVE SNAP SHOTS

(From Friday's Daily.)

(By Don Hunt.)

H. H. DEWART, K. C., M.P.P., for Southwest Toronto.

With Hartley,
There has come into the House
Vivacity, wit, vitality.
French is his beard,
Irish his eyes,
Sparkling in good humor.
His opponents
He puts upon the grill,
Burns them, roasts them,
Turns them over,
And roasts them again,
Until they cry,
"Who said this fellow was good humored?"

PETERBORO COUNTY REFUSED TO AGREE

(From Friday's Daily.)

Telegram—Wednesday a deputation from Peterboro and Victoria counties saw Hon. F. G. McDiarmid at the Parliament buildings regarding a bridge in the village of Kinmount. They asked for legislation for the two counties to construct a bridge, but Peterboro refuses to agree, as they hold that the opinion of five judges that they had no responsibility in the matter is quite sufficient.

LIEUTENANT LEE IS IN COMMAND

(From Friday's Daily.)

Capt. McManus arrived from Kingston last night with six men from the Special Service Battalion for the Arsenal Guard, which now numbers fifty-one men.

Lieut. Ellis, of Fenelon Falls, who recently returned from the front, has been placed in command of the guard. The item published Thursday from the Kingston Standard that he had been sent to Trenton was incorrect.

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MEMORIAL TABLET FOR HARTLEY CHURCH

At Hartley Methodist church next Sunday a memorial tablet will be unveiled as a tribute to Hartley's sons who have made the supreme sacrifice for the Empire.

The tablet is the product of Robb-Chambers' Monumental Works, and is a work of art. It is in the form of a slab of beautiful Italian marble of exact design, bearing the following in letters of gold:—

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Inserted in the tablet are two Union Jacks in colors, and done greatly enhance its beauty. The tablet is a credit to the firm, as well as to the congregation of Hartley Methodist church.

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NEWEST BRITISH BATTLE, PLANES SPEED 180 MILES AN HOUR

The British Armies in France, Feb. 1—"It's exciting at times, but generally speaking it's rather less sport than a motorcycle race or "swag" omelette of the British Flying Corps. He chatted waffle inkeeping with his subject—one of the latest types in a war that is changing and developing the aeroplane almost from hour to hour.

There were marvels of the air two years ago that have no more relation to the machines of to-day than the soaring albatross of a barnyard fowl to the flight of a swallow. An aerial scout that cannot climb over the neighborhood of 140 miles an hour cannot be classed as truly modern. They "ceiled" at 80 miles "level at sea," not in running "down hill" or in diving out of a loop. You may attain 180 miles an hour these days.

"Oh, yes, the fighting fun," resumed the subaltern, "but you can't always induce the Germans to come up and have a go. They prefer most of the time to stop on the ground and have their machine-guns with their noisy shrapnel shells. It's when you go padding through the air on patrol that the fun comes in, and there's nothing happens that flying becomes monotonous. In spite of the utmost vibration, speed as high as you can get you have no sense of speed whatever—nothing like the thrill of forty or fifty miles an hour in a motor when the trees whizzing by and a bump at every branch you see.

"Sometimes the air is bumpy, too, and that's good sport. You collide with the air as though you were sailing a big rock in the road. They generally lurk near a cloud bank, and when you are awfully full when you least expect it. On dull days, when the air is smooth, you can get a little practice and confidence by throwing her about a bit, for when you get to close quarters in a fight you've got to handle her well, for the air one doesn't even get the sensation of the wind that you get on a motor bike. You have no sense of velocity or a hundred miles an hour a little wind in your face makes no impression upon you."

WINDS ARE SCORNED

Which hints that you may forget for the absolute contempt in which the modern army flier look upon the mightiest hurricane. Even a month ago it was not so long ago that a tenmile breeze would upset the calculations for a day; now nothing short of a hurricane can deter the intrepid aviators of the Allies. They laugh at a gale, and can almost take a nap while comfortably riding a fifty-mile wind. The actual enemy elements are low clouds and anti-aircraft shells. They have little relation to personal safety. They interfere seriously with a wide range of useful work.

There are a few more earnest remarks on the monotony of patrol work in smooth air—which has likened unto a motor-car journey on a cement road in a desert—the subaltern returned with a "calls" of his machine, it was a wasp-like affair, with the improved power of a hundred horses throbbing in its wonderful engine, its guns were attached unobtrusively to the framework and synchronized where necessary to shoot through the blades of the fast whirring propeller in front.

The "chain" of a modern aeroplane suggests the pilot hone of a palatial yacht in miniature. Everything is fitted in hardwood, and there are polished nickel instruments to indicate speed, height, and everything an airman ought to know. There are ingenious sights for the bombs and range finders for bomb dropping and a little device to tell that the bombs have been properly released. In front are the mirror on their way to the objective selected for attack.

What is tucked away out of the pilot's head is visible above the fireboard. Directly in front of him is a fairly little bluff moon of a windshield.

"You can lower that in summer time and get more air," grinned the subaltern.

ENGINE PREVENTS FREEZING

"But what about freezing in the winter time?" was suggested.

"Oh," he replied, "that all depends upon the machine. This little scout, for instance, will be quite all right for you, is as warm as toast even when you are 15,000 feet up and the temperature is long dropped below zero. You get all the warmth of the engine, and you can close everything. The plane with the propeller and engine in front is a tractor. The pusher has engine and propeller in the rear. In one of those you get the full effect of the cold, and you just naturally freeze, that's all."

The control of the fighting aeroplane has been reduced to the simplest of the single lever. By moving this a few inches one way or another and with occasional foot pressure on the rudder bars one can climb, dive, loop, side-slip, fall a couple of thousand feet and flatten out "as right as rain." You always have one hand free for the machine gun, and, if necessary, you can let the lever look after itself for minutes on a time and use both hands for fighting. Or, if you feel fit for a long one, you can let her float while you eat luncheon. An air mess generally consists of an egg, or bacon, milk chocolate and biscuits, with hot tea or coffee from a vacuum bottle.

You rarely have a queer sense of the appropriate in malaria. For instance, the squadron to which this waspish little scout belonged has adopted as its distinguishing mark, and each plane has an elephant painted on either side of the fuselage. Why an elephant? Because, as if anything could be less suggestive of flying than a pachyderm! The squadron has adopted the hippopotamus.

The air service in the friendliest corps in the world. It is the only one where other work is impossible the pilots and observers have their own cut machines. It is astonishing how a novice how far away the trained airman can recognize a rather.

ALLIES TO KEEP FOE COLONIES DEATH KNELL TO HUN POSSESSIONS

London, Feb. 22—The death-knell to Germany's colonial possessions has been sounded, so far as the Entente allies can effect that result, by the almost simultaneous announcement of the British Minister of Colonies, Mr. Long; the Japanese Minister of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Motono, and the Prime Minister of New Zealand, Mr. Massey, who voiced the view of Australia as well as New Zealand. Together these statements declare there will be no return to Germany of her colonies in Africa, Asia or the Pacific.

This attitude is not only held by Japan and the British colonies chiefly concerned, but it has the backing of the British and French Governments, which have the largest interest in colonial Africa and Asia. It develops the fact also that the late Asquith Government was opposed to any extension of British colonial possessions in Africa. Whereas the new Lloyd George Government approves this extension as in line with the aspirations of the British Empire in Africa. This in turn has established that there will be a general redistricting of African colonies, so that the possessions of Great Britain, France, Portugal and Belgium will be made more homogeneous instead of being, as at present, scattered and irregular in outlines.

Japan's attitude toward holding Germ man colony of Kiao-Chau, in China, and of the Marshall, Caroline and Pelew Islands, in which Japan had established an interest, during the British Government, was replied to Japan, that it had been deemed desirable, in answering Mr. Motono's question, to make clear to make these terms embrace everything which might come up later, but to confine them for the present to the readjustment of territory in Europe. It is believed in London that the future of German territorial possessions outside of Europe would be outlined when the Allies' terms with Germany are finally settled. They will be properly safeguarded and secured for future determination. This was indicated by Mr. Asquith when days ago his approval to the joint reply to Mr. Wilson, stating the allies main terms.

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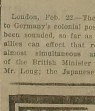

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HALIBURTON

(Special to The Post.)

Licence Inspector Thornbury visited on last week, returning to Lindsay on Thursday.

Rev. Mr. Daniels and Mr. T. H. Rogers, of Carnarvon, were in town last week, attending the S. S. Convention.

Rev. Mr. Langford, B.A., of Toronto, and Rev. A. C. Hile, of Dunsford, were the chief speakers at the evening session of the S. S. Convention last week. While here they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Pitt.

Mr. Geo. Wyatt, who has been in Toronto during the past winter, is home for a short visit.

Rev. Mr. Baynor, who has been here visiting his wife and little daughter, has returned to his charge at Parry Sound.

Mrs. Porter and little son and Mrs. Ellis, who have been visiting friends in Lindsay, have returned home.

Miss Ellis has gone to Lindsay for a visit.

Mr. W. Sedgewick of Rosetown, Sask., who has been a visitor in town for the past two weeks, returned this week for his home in the West.

The movies held on Friday and Saturday evening under the auspices of the 252nd Batt. were well attended. The pictures were fine and local musicians and singers rendered some bright selections during both evenings.

The Sunday School Convention held in the Methodist church on Saturday afternoon and evening was most interesting and instructive. Address es were given by Rev. Mr. Langford, Rev. Mr. Grant of Minden, Rev. Mr. McNeilly, of Gooderham and Rev. Mr. Rick, of Wilberforce. These were much appreciated by all and during the discussions which followed, Rev. Mr. Finch, Rev. Mr. Wyatt, Rev. Hartsels and Mr. Rogers took part. Rev. Mr. Wayte presided at the Saturday session and Rev. Beck sang two beautiful solos in his usual good voice.

The evening session was held in the Methodist church.

Enjoyed by an interested audience. The church orchestra was in attendance and during the evening Miss Ellis and Miss Lettie gave two selections, in one of which Mr. Henderson, of Toronto, who is in town on duty at the Armouries, Dr. E. K. and Mrs. Henderson, took the solo part with the quartette assisting. This was a beautiful selection and was beautifully rendered. Rev. Mr. Langford, B. A., of Toronto, and Rev. A. C. Hile, of Dunsford, were the chief speakers at the evening session, while Mr. T. H. Rogers, of Carnarvon, presided.

On Tuesday evening last a tea and concert was given by the Women's Institute when a most enjoyable time was spent by all who were present. The following programme of bright attractive music were all that could be desired to make the evening pleasant. The sum of $40 was contributed to Red Cross work. Much credit is due to the ladies who were in charge of the programme and tea.

We are pleased to report that Mr. Franklin Austin, who has been on the sick list is some better at present.

UNION CREEK

(Special to The Post.)

A wedding of much interest to our young people was that of Howard Schell, of this place, and Miss Edna Pearson, of Mount Irwin, which took place at Peterboro recently. A reception was given at the wedding party at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Dan Pearson on Monday evening of last week. Many congratulations and best wishes are extended to the groom and bride. The bride and groom spent a long and happy life together "on the road to happiness."

Mrs. Ed. Bonker spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Bacon at Furnace Falls.

A short visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Ferren last week and left a lovely little girl baby, weighing ten pounds.

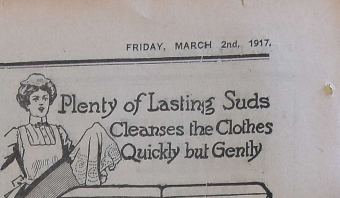
Mr. Kit Graney returned to Orillia last Tuesday, where he has a good position with the Mason Moulton Co. of that place.

Councillor Thomas Byrne was in Toronto for a few days on municipal business.

Mrs. John C. Byrne and small daughter, Katie, left for their home in Sunny Alberta on Monday.

BOY AGED TEN ENDS HIS LIFE

Calgary, Alta. Feb. 24.—Ronald, the ten year old son of J. W. Cliffe, shot himself through the heart last night with his father's revolver. The boy in the neighborhood had been playing soldier, and a brother had enlisted in the army. The boy left a will reading as follows: "I leave my sword to Harry (a brother) and my money to my mother while she had, and Dad had some, too. Good-bye." Underneath is a skull and crossbones was drawn. An inquest is unlikely.



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LIBERALS WIN IN NEW BRUNSWICK END OF THE MURRAY REGIME

St. John, N. B., Feb. 25.—New Brunswick, like Manitoba and British Columbia, has decided to clean house. The Murray Government was defeated last yesterday, and the Liberal Opposition, going to the country with three seats in the Legislature, carried twenty-three out of forty-four seats balloted for, and on the strength of this victory the Conservatives have no prospect of taking all four of the deferred elections in Gloucester to-morrow. This will give the new Government twenty-seven seats in a House of forty-eight, or a working majority of five after the election of the Speaker.

Should the Murray Government carry Gloucester, which appears most unlikely, it would have but one of a majority, after the election of the Speaker, and two ministers with portfolios among the slain yesterday will have to be immediately replaced. This, of course, would be an impossibility, so whatever the result in Gloucester, the Government is dead. In short the Liberal victory in Gloucester the victory will be complete.

MINISTERS DEFEATED.

Out of seventeen ridings the Government carried but six, with a split in St. John City, and its result here, it is alleged, was secured through unscrupulous methods. Hon. D. Y. Landry, member of the original Hazen Government of 1908, and for some years Provincial Secretary, was soundly beaten with his ticket in Kent. Hon. A. R. Slipp, Minister of Lands and Mines since February 1st, fell with his colleague in Queens. Hon. Arthur Culligan, member of the Government without portfolio, was even behind his defeated colleague in Restigouche. Hon. W. C. Robinson, former Liberal Premier, deposed of Dr. O. B. Price, an aspiring Federal candidate victory in Moncton city. Dr. W. F. Roberts, of the Opposition ticked survived the Government campaign in this city, defeating Phillip Grennan, one of the old members.

MR. FOSTER NOT QUITE UP.

Unfortunately Mr. Walter B. Foster chosen as leader of the Opposition during the campaign, though he has never had a seat in the Legislature, was not quite able to overcome the majority of the Attorney-General and his colleagues.

SHOWER OF FISH NEAR GARDEN HILL

Port Hope Guide: About a mile north of Garden Hill is a farm ready covered with small fish that came down in the rain storm yesterday afternoon. The farm is a long distance from any pond or stream, and the supposition is that they came from the clouds. Hundreds of these small fish very similar to minnows covered the ground, and Dr. Beatty brought several of them to town today to corroborate the story.

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REVELATIONS OF MEXICAN PLOT PROVOKED GERMANS TO ANGER

Amsterdam, March 5—The German press comments concerning what the Vorwaerts calls "The Mexican Adventure," indicate the embarrassment the revelations have occasioned. Almost all express indignation at what the Zeitung calls "the vile treachery," whereby the instructions to the German Ambassador have fallen into the hands of the Washington Government. This correspondent does precisely the same language, as the Lokal Anzeiger, declaring that "The pleasing openness with which the United States case is admitted on the German side shows we have nothing to fear by its publicity. No right-thinking man can characterize our measures as hostile to America." The correspondent proceeds to accuse the United States of attempting to incite neutral States of the whole world against Germany. It further says the interesting revelation was received here from Argentina that the United States attempted last year to drag the South American republic by treaties into a war against Germany and using them to sharp action against German ships lying in South American harbors. He accuses the United States of having, with the Entente, exercised pressure against China, which, she says, in attributable China's sharp note against the German prohibition of navigation. The despatch, which is evidently inspired, adds: "It must be said with all clearness that the United States has not hesitated to display moral indignation of Germany's action."

THE LATE J. A. BUCKNELL.

J. A. BUCKNELL PASSED AWAY

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

With the receipt of a telegram this morning from Detroit announcing the death on Monday evening at Hotel Dieu, Windsor, of the late John A. Bucknell, formerly of Lindsay, a wave of regret and sympathy passed over the town, for into every portion of it the genial, kindly sympathetic influence of the deceased had passed at some time or other during his residence here. His death removes one whose company seemed never to have suffered an eclipse. His smile was always bright and his friendship and helpfulness unbounded.

The late Mr. Bucknell was born in Ingersoll, Ont., and received his early education in that town. At the age of eighteen years he came to Lindsay as a relieving telegraph operator on the G.N.W. road, at that time in charge of Mr. F. C. Taylor, who was also at that time agent for the Canadian Express Co., and also the Canada Life Insurance Co. Although his relief work was only to the extent of two months, he decided to remain with Mr. Taylor, and soon became as Mr. Taylor termed him this morning, his "right hand man." By dint of close application to business he rapidly acquired a thorough knowledge of express business, and quickly worked himself to the front. After remaining in Lindsay for a few years he accepted the important position of agent for the Canada Life in the State of Michigan, and never here was more marked, and the business of the Company increased with leaps and bounds. The amount of insurance written by deceased was enormous and he had the distinction of writing up several observers of the State as well as other notables. After remaining in Michigan for a few years he was transferred to New York State as State Agent. Owing to State legislation in reference to foreign insurance companies being enacted, the Canada Life ceased doing business in that State, and the late Mr. Bucknell was appointed agent for the Province of Quebec, with headquarters at Montreal. The same attributes recorded in previous efforts in this province as was the case elsewhere, and after he had placed the Canada Life in a very prominent position in Quebec, he went back, by choice, to the State of Michigan, with headquarters in Detroit. Later on he was appointed Supervisor of the Canada Life in Michigan, a position he held until his death.

The late Mr. Bucknell had a Dominion-wide and world-wide reputation as an insurance man, and it is said of him that his record was such that every few months he was the employ of the Canada Life as an insurance writer. No man was better known in the State of Michigan than he in Detroit "Jack," as he was affectionately known, had a host of friends and acquaintances who enjoyed his companionship and genuine good nature. Although a resident of the United States for a number of years, he was intensely Canadian, loving the land of his birth with an undying zeal. He was an enthusiastic curler for many years, and in a recent letter to Mr. F. C. Taylor the deceased stated that six rinks from Detroit were leaving for Canada two days' visit to curl there.

The late Mr. Bucknell was Secretary of the Grand Charity Expedition and Board held in Detroit for the benefit of the widows and orphans of the soldiers of the war under the auspices of the Allied Relief Committee. This bazaar was a great financial success, netting the Canadian division about $11,000.

The late Mr. Bucknell was first Lieut. in Gen. Wallace's company of the 45th Battalion during the years 1883, 1884 and 1885, and was quite popular with the officers and men of the organization.

No information is available concerning the cause of Mr. Bucknell's death. Some days ago the deceased while curling at Windsor, fell on the ice and broke his leg. He was removed to the Hotel Dieu, and it is thought that serious developments followed the accident.

The late Mr. Bucknell was an Anglican in religion, and leaves to mourn his loss a grieving wife, known as "Dolly" Knowlson, formerly of Lindsay, and two sons, Leo and Clarence. The deceased spent a month or two each summer at Sturgeon Point, and advancing years seemed to have no diminution of eternal youth and his buoyancy of spirit.

The funeral of the late John A. Bucknell took place this afternoon, interment taking place in Riverside cemetery.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Impressive funeral services were held at St. Mary's church at 2.00 o'clock, which were attended by representatives of the town council, members of curling clubs, and other representativeselitzens. Two favorite hymns of the deceased—"Abide With Me," "The Day God Parted White and Stray," were sung and Canon Marsh paid a tribute to the deceased, who was at one time a member of the choir. He referred to his residence in Lindsay and his splendid record as a curler, as President of the Canada Curling Club, Detroit Boat Club, Canada Life agent, etc. The pallbearers were two sons and brother of deceased, Messrs. C. Gladman, J. M. Knowlson and Ed. Gregory.

OBSERVE SIXTY-FIFTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Glammis, Ont.,—Mr. and Mrs. John C. McIntyre, of this village, celebrated the sixty-fifth anniversary of their marriage on February 26th. Although in his ninety-sixth year, Mr. McIntyre is very active and vigorous, and manifests lively interest in everything, especially in the war. Mrs. McIntyre is in her ninetieth year, and yet she has in the last few weeks knitted three pairs of socks for her two soldier grandsons and her two soldier grandson-in-law, John Campbell McIntyre and Sarah McEachern Campbell, married in 1855, in the village of Manilla, county of Ontario, both being natives of the shire of Perth, in Scotland. There are four daughters, four sons, twenty grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

SUICIDED BECAUSE HE WAS REJECTED

Toronto, March 5—Rejected thrice times by recruiting officers and grieving over the loss of a brother killed somewhere in France," Geo. Baker, 26, became discouraged and hanged himself in cellar of his home today.

FARM LABORERS FROM THE STATES

Toronto, March 5.—Agents of the colonization branch of the Department of Agriculture, have brought to Toronto from New York State fifteen experienced men hands who were immediately placed with Ontario farmers at $25 to $40 a month. Men are also being secured from the State of Michigan and distributed to Ontario points from Port Huron. The Department has received to date over 300 applications from Ontario farmers for farm laborers.

JOHN W. GRAY MAKES SACRIFICE

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

The sad news was received this morning by Mr. and Mrs. W. Gray, Cowgill, that their son, J. W. Gray, had been killed at the front. The message came as a shock to his relatives and friends who all believed him to be still in England with his battalion.

The deceased was at one time employed at Hughes' plant, but five or six years ago he left for the Northwest, where he enlisted for overseas service. Besides there is left to mourn his loss, two brothers, Richard and William, and two sisters, Mrs. R. Corscadden, Saskatoon, and Mrs. J. Brynes, Maldstone, Sask.

The news of Jack's" passing caused the deepest sorrow in many friends. During his residence in Lindsay he was a general favorite. He was an enthusiast of baseball and was a member of the Sylvester baseball team that won the league championship several years ago.

SIR SAM GROWS QUITE SARCASTIC

Ottawa, March 5.—After speaking in favor of the immediate application of conscription to secure more men for the front in France, Sir Sam Hughes, at an Orange banquet poured ridicule on the heads of trouble with German Americans on the United States border.

"The present agitation to defend Canada's border is nonsense," declared Sir Sam. "I am not aware if there are enough lunatic asylums in Canada. Why, if there was a little border raid there would be enough mad cider up in a day or two. There has not been an army of German Canadians but what it has been carried out by some mercenary paid by German gold."

To help out the recruiting and labor problems, Sir Sam Hughes said there were many idle men in Canada, and there were "bartenders, race track sports, and thousands of them could easily available if called upon."

OUTWITTED HIGH COST OF LIVING

Gloucester, Mass., March 3.—Here's thrift for you. A man here advertised that his family would get $5 for the best specimen potato sent him during a certain period. Despite the present value of their tuber the spuds came in every day until at the close of the contest he had 42 barrels of choice potatoes—all for $5.

SECTIONMAN'S BODY FOUND BESIDE TRACK

Belleville, March 6.—David Calvert, sectionman on the C.P.R., was found dead this morning about 2 o'clock on the track at Buller Siding. Apparently deceased went down along the track yesterday to attend to his duties and not returning a search was instituted when his body was found.

It has not yet been ascertained whether deceased expired from exhaustion, owing to the storm, or was struck by a train. An inquest is being held. Calvert was 45 years of age and is survived by a widow and two children.

NOT SURPRISING

"He passed away very calmly."

"Naturally; he was an easy-going man."

HON. FOSTER SAYS TRENT CANAL WILL BE FINISHED WITHOUT DELAY

Review—Major J. H. Burnham, M.P., has received the following letter from Sir George E. Foster, Acting Premier, in the absence of Sir Robert Borden in England:

Dept. Trade and Commerce,

Canada, Minister's Office,

Ottawa, March 5, 1917.

Major J. H. Burnham, M.P.,

Peterborough, Ont.

Dear Major Burnham:—I am sorry that the extreme pressure of business and the necessity of getting information from other departments has made it impossible for me to answer your letters and telegrams sooner.

As to the Trent Canal matter, you have already had replies from the Minister of Railways and Canals, who is chiefly interested in and responsible for that work, and in his temporary absence I have referred to Dr. Reid, who is acting in his place and who agrees with the answers made to you by the Minister himself. It is impossible, as you will see, for me to go any further than the Minister himself in regard to positive assurance as to when the Canal would be finished and ready for operation. The policy of the Government, both Governments, in fact, has been to complete the Trent system of internal navigation as rapidly as possible consistently all interests, and no unnecessary delay has, I think, taken place or will take place. But conditions caused by the war are, as you know, imperative, and have influenced and to a large extent restricted the Government's outlay upon our great public works.

We must all, of course, accommodate ourselves to these conditions. Consistent with the demands of the war and other consequences, the Trent Valley Canal will be prosecuted without any unnecessary delay.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) George E. Foster.

UNCLE SAM HANDS OVER PRIZE SHIP APPAM TO BRITAIN

Washington, March 6.—In an unanimous opinion the Supreme Court today decided that Friday the 23rd ordered restoration to her British owners of the liner Appam and cargo, captured by Lieut. Hans Berg off the coast of Africa on January 15th. The Appam was then a year ago by a prize crew from the German raider Mowe. Ship and cargo valued at between three and four million dollars, must be delivered within thirty days, as the Court's order is final.

The decision, written by Justice Day, affirms decrees by Federal Judge Waddill of Virginia, and involves an original ruling by Secretary of State Lansing that prizes coming into American ports unaccompanied by captor warships have the right to remain only long enough to make themselves seaworthy.

American neutrality was violated by bringing the Appam into Hampton Roads, the Court says, and in view of the ancient treaties relied upon by Great Britain, the German prize commander, The Hague conventions, and the Declaration of London, entitles any belligerents to make American waters a place for deposit of prizes as spoils of war under such circumstances.

VIOLATION OF NEUTRALITY.

"The principles of international law," the opinion adds, "leaving the treaty aside will not permit the ports of a neutral nation to be thus used by the belligerents. If such use were permitted it would constitute the ports of a neutral nation harbors of safety into which prizes might be safely brought and indefinitely kept.

"From the beginning of its history this country has sought to maintain a neutral position between warring Governments, and not to permit the use of its ports in violation of the obligations of neutrality, nor to permit such use beyond the necessities of actual entry for the seas or the necessities of such vessels as to seaworthiness, provision and supplies."

GREAT SUCCESS WON BY THE CANADIANS ON A WIDE FRONT

London, March 6.—The following communication was issued today by the Canadian War Records Office:

The main event of the week on the Canadian corps front was a raid on a German line on a more extended scale than usual. In fact the "raid" was really a "minor operation," covering a front of 2,000 yards and carrying 2,000 yards and penetrating the enemy lines to a depth of 700 yards in one portion of the line. The raid was carried out with great gallantry, and the "bag" of prisoners amounted to 4 officers and forty-four other ranks, besides great damage to the enemy's defenses, machine guns, and dugouts, not to mention the heavy casualties inflicted.

The troops engaged encountered stiff opposition before reaching their objectives. "No Man's Land" at this particular point is a mass of shell holes, and the ground is in places broken by months of continuous fighting. The ground rises gradually from our right brigade front to the enemy's lines. Over such a terrain the troops on the right advanced behind a creeping rifle and machine gun fire. The enemy front line was reached and crossed in the right brigade without opposition as such Germans as were left were killed out.

The heaviest fighting occured when the support line was reached. Here Lieutenant-Colonel Kemball, C.O., was killed while fighting in the thickest of the fighting, leading his men into the disputed trench.

Colonel Kemball's DYING WORDS

Lieut.-Col. Beckett led his men till their objectives were all but reached, but was slight while collecting his men, scattered by crossing the mass of shell holes and craters. Their objective was reached.

After one and a half hours in the enemy lines, during which time great damage was done, and valuable information gained, our troops retired. During the retirement the enemy suffered heavily from our artillery fire, which closed down behind them and by which they left the German trenches.

In addition to this important operation, several local but smaller raids were carried out with signal success.

At 3 a.m. on the 27th of February a party entered the enemy trenches. The net result of the expedition was the complete establishment of important identifications, and ten dead Germans in the trenches, and many Germans destroyed. On the following day at 5 a. m. the battalion on the left of that which was responsible for the above enterprise carried out a raid. Two hundred yards of trenches were bombed, four dugouts in which the occupants refused to come out were blown up, and the enemy trenches were found to be greatly knocked about by our shell fire. Our casualties again were only two men slightly wounded.

LAST CHANCE

A lawyer who for many years had shocked his friends h m m m mm his way through life, and his friends by his rather liberal views on religion, recently died.

On the day deceased, who was short a trip to hurry back to town for the purpose of attending the last rites of his colleague, one of the late lawyer's home some minutes after the beginning of the service.

"What part of the service is this?" he inquired in a whisper of another legal friend standing in the crowded room.

"I've just come myself," said the other, "but I believe they have opened the coffin."

CANADIAN DIVISION IN ACTION LOSSES REPORTED NOT HEAVY

Ottawa, March 5: — Indications that the 3rd Canadian Division at the front has been in another fierce fighting for which advices received at the Department of Militia. In the action on March 1st in which Lieut.-Col. Beckett was killed there were losses affecting Ontario battalions, but they were not heavy. A number of officers besides Col. Beckett are believed to have gone down, but the list will be forwarded through the usual channel of the Records Office.

Other cable despatches state that the casualties sustained, mostly on Thursday, are said to number about 200, and are considered comparatively light, especially if the entire division has been engaged. It is said that the 3rd Canadian Division has been following up the retreating Germans in the vicinity of Gommecourt, which is believed by some to be the action in which Lieut.-Col. Beckett, of Toronto was engaged, though this has not been announced that his battalion was in the 3rd Division.

STORY OF BRITISH

Douglas S. Robertson, in a cable from London to The Evening Telegram, Toronto, yesterday, states:

Once again, after months of routine warfare, the Canadians have been in heavy fighting, the heaviest from the Somme offensive, though very local in character, for the latest battle against the Germans several battalions only from one of the Canadian divisions were engaged.

The attack took place on Thursday. To assist in the general forward movement the British troops have been making of late ever ground abandoned by the Germans in their retreat, the Canadians launched a strong assault against a particularly formidable position on high ground, well fortified and heavily manned by the enemy.

GAS ATTACK FAILED

After a terrific bombardment of the Hun position by artillery, the Canadians turned on gas, following this with an infantry advance in waves.

Owing to the unfavorable atmospheric conditions (it has been damp and foggy) and the uncertainty of the wind, the gas clouds were not effective as a weapon.

The Germans met our advance with a heavy fire, but the Canadians pushed ahead resolutely. The enemy before returning to their own position.

Our artillery did particularly effective work.

EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS BEFORE WILSON SECURES AUTHORITY

Washington, March 6th. An extra session of Congress not later than June now is generally conceded among officials here to be assured.

Although President Wilson has not given any definite indication that he has finally abandoned the hope that an extra session might be avoided, there is an almost unanimous sentiment among Senators, representatives and officials of the executive departments that one must be called.

The present make up of Senator today toward carrying out the President's recommendation for an effective National Defence generally was regarded as strengthening the likelihood of a special session within a few weeks. It is said confidently that in his statement tonight night the President conveyed the impression by implication that such a revision of senate rules would be a step preliminary to bringing Congress back to deal with the programme. After enumerating the important measures which had failed the statement continued that "it would not cure the difficulty to call the sixty-fifth Congress in extraordinary session" unless the Parliamentary barrier to action in the Senate were removed.

Should the Senate limit debate, and the President's legal advisers declare he has a right to arm ships in time without Congressional authorization, the armed neutrality bill undoubtedly would take first place among the measures to be pressed by the Administration at an extra session. It might be urged even if it were not necessary from a legal standpoint, in order to line up Congress behind the President and to put on the adverse impression which Mr. Wilson believes has resulted in some quarters from the Senate's failure to act in the session just closed.

ASSISTANCE WITH AUSTRIA.

Austria's reply to the American request for a clearer definition of her attitude in the submarine controversy was stated officially here to-day to leave the door open for further negotiations, at least temporarily at least the break which has been regarded as inevitable between the United States and Germany.

The position maintained in the long communication upholds and defends the unrestricted warfare waged by Austria-Hungary, and officials here regarded as strengthening the likelihood of a special session within a few weeks. It is pointed out that in his statement tonight night the President conveyed the impression by implication that such a revision of senate rules would be a step preliminary to bringing Congress back to deal with the programme. After enumerating the important measures which had failed the statement continued that "it would not cure the difficulty to call the sixty-fifth Congress in extraordinary session" unless the Parliamentary barrier to action in the Senate were removed.

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OAKWOOD MAN WAS FINED $203.40

A resident of Oakwood Village came to town this morning and pleaded guilty to a charge preferred against him of having liquor other than on his own premises. The accused also supplied a number of his friends. A fine of $203.40 was imposed by County Police Magistrate Moore.

License Inspector Thorsbury laid the information.

To Keep Step in the March of Progress

Martial airs and the bugle call are suggested in the Military effect which is one of the features of this springs clothes

"DRESS UP"

SUITS	HATS	SHIRTS
Blues	Blacks	Whites
Greens	Greens	Stripes
Browns	Browns	Blues
Oxfords	Greys	Fancies
Blacks	Blues	

Prices for the young man who is getting a start in life or the man who makes his selections regardless of cost.

ED. C. ARMSTRONG

The Men's Wear Store

CROWN PRINCE AGAIN BUMPED FOGS AND SNOW HINDER ALLIES

London, March 6.—The British continued their successful forward movement in Picardy today, advancing north of the Ancre and in the region of Boeschavnes. Canada's troops extended their lines northwest of Irles and north of Puisieux, clearing in on the important points of Bucquoy and Achiet-le-Petit. The clearing of Bapaume on the west appears to be a certainty.

The British troops also smashed forward again east of Boullencourt, where their line bites deep into the German positions, forming a sharp salient that threatens to overwhelm Mont St. Quentin and the stronghold of Peronne at any moment. Following the attack, which Berlin says was repulsed, the German forces massed in the trenches for a counter-attack, but they were discovered by the British observers and raked with a fire that quickly dispersed them.

CROWN PRINCE BAFFLED

Through decreasing in intensity, the battle of Verdun rages, with the French stubbornly and successfully meeting all the enemy's attacks and breaking through the lines for occasional gains.

Today the troops of the Crown Prince made desperate attempts to recapture the trenches north of Cauchieres Wood, on the right bank of the Meuse, taken by the French yesterday. Where the barrage erected by the French batteries broke up most of the assaulting columns, quick counter-thrusts forced the Germans out of the elements of the line they had won, and are apparently WOULD UPSET NIVELLE'S PLANS

In the region of Douaumont, following a violent artillery preparation, the French soldiers swung forward at two points, took the enemy completely by surprise, and returned with prisoners. Berlin reports that a bilamart has confined operations on this front to patrol encounters and artillery duels.

Both British and French critics are agreed that this operation is of a purely local character, intended to upset Nivelle's plans and to serve as one for preparation for a big German offensive elsewhere. There is no disposition to view the attacks of the Crown Prince as the sequel to the withdrawal on the Ancre and Somme.

HEAVY FALL OF SNOW AIDS GERMAN TROOPS

(By Philip Gibbs.)

With the British Armies in the Field, Monday, March 5. — A sharp fall of snow during the night has whitened all battlefields again and the thaw which came with the sun made the condition of the roads bad for the enemy as well as for ourselves. To the enemy had weather is probably an advantage as a balance is struck through the quagmires and broken tracts. The hard frost helped the enemy his guns back, but delayed his work behind the lines, owing to the freezing of the watercourses, by which he depended a great deal for his transport of supplies. Thaw, too, and snows are compelling many men in his polity of retirement from the great salient below Arras, in order to avoid a staggering blow. That retirement continues slowly, and is spreading north of the ground by Gommecourt, which until two days ago was the limit of his new movement. Bessiered, or left behind in trench, and wood fell into our hands after some sharp fighting with his rearguards the day before yesterday and yesterday discovered that Biez Wood was abandoned. The enemy is therefore, right back on the Essarts-Bucquoy-Loupard Wood line of defence in front of Bapaume, and the next position in front of that will be to cover whether he intends to defend this line with any great resistance, which I doubt, or will go back to something like thirty miles.

BURNING BAPAUME STORIES

It is still difficult to say whether he will challenge us with what chess players call the "grand jeu," the really great strategical game, or whether he is merely saving his pawns. In my opinion, which counts for nothing, he is about to play the "grand jeu" and take great risks for great hopes. Behind Bapaume there is further indication of what might be called spring flitting. Fires are burning in the villages and towns, and he was setting a light to useless stores, and civilians are being sent away from their homes. There seems to be abnormal railway activity in his lines, but these signs are uncertain, and may be to deceive us. Much can only be guessed at, or tricks to lure us on continuously, so that he may come back at us with a counter-stroke. We are ready for that.

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KINMOUNT

(Special to The Post.)

Old winter is holding his own. Surely when spring does come it will not have so many drawbacks as had last spring.

We are pleased to report that Miss Laura McGrath, who has been very ill, is recovering.

The pulpit of the Presbyterian church was occupied last Sunday by Rev. Mr. Clendennan, of Toronto.

The funeral of Mr. Samuel Handcock, who died at Irondale, passed through Kinmount to the Kinmount cemetery. After the burial service was over those who had come from Irondale and neighborhood had dinner at the Herlihey hotel.

Mr. J. Murphy, of the Metropolitan Insurance Co., was again making his rounds last week.

The Sunday School pupils of the Presbyterian church, accompanied by their teachers and superintendent, took an outing on Friday evening last. The pupils and some of the teachers were taken for a six mile drive, which in the end brought them to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McKinley, who gave them a most friendly welcome and also Miss Verderbure. Mrs. Gilmour and Miss B. Clark who had remained to assist Mrs. McKinley and daughter to have supper ready when the crowd returned from their sleigh ride. A splendid supper was served and that they was sufficient for all was proved by the increased load which the horses had to draw when the sleighs were again loaded. It was shocking, speak of it in whispers, but tell it not in Gath.

We are greatly pleased that Rev. Mr. Hockey, who has been very ill for some time, was again able on Sunday morning last to resume his pastoral duties in his church at Kinmount.

Irene Dettman, young daughter of Mr. George Dettman, has been very ill, but is now recovering.

LITTLE BRITAIN

(Special to The Post.)

Dr. Henderson, of Cannington, spent Thursday last in our village.

Mrs. Wm. Hildreth, of Mrs. H. L. Lindsay, spent Saturday at his home here.

Mr. Ed. Long, of Uxbridge, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rodman this week.

Mrs. James Ferguson, of Lindsay, spent a couple of days at his home this week.

Mr. R. O. Yerex left for Toronto last week, where he has accepted a good position with a wholesale firm.

Mrs. Jas. Perrin was confined to the house a few days alst week with a grippe.

Mr. Garfield Hestlie spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. George Hestlie, Oakwood, last week, who has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Parry Lobb, of Bewan's Corners, spent Saturday at her home here.

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FENELON FALLS

(Special to The Post.)

Mrs. L. Thompson of Toronto, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Reilly a few days this week.

Miss Ruby Palmer spent a few days last week with friends here, Miss Ethel Brokenshire at Rosedale.

Dr. D. Gould spent a few days in Haliburton this week on business, and also attended the convention of the Dominion Temperance Alliance held in Minden.

Mr. J. A. Worsley, of Roseville, Sask., is on a visit to relatives in town and vicinity.

Miss Allie Carley is spending a couple of weeks' vacation with Cam Brady at the Falls.

Mrs. G. H. Potts, of Haliburton, spent a few days in town last week.

Miss A. Bews, of Shanty Bay, is visiting Miss Nellie Lankfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham of Blythe spent a couple of days in Peterbor this week.

Mr. J. E. Hunt, of Lindsay, spent the week end with relatives in town.

Lieut. H. Borden spent a few days in the town this week.

Miss Etta Jackson, of Coboconk, is visiting the Misses Evelyn and Gertrude Hall.

Miss M. Dettman of Kinmount visited her sister, Mrs. Ellsworth, Austin Sat. and Sun.

Sergt. Buckham who has been spending a short time at his home in Fenelon Falls, has returned to his duties at Kingston.

Mrs. Dr. Bryans and Miss Buchanan, of Fenelon Falls, and Mrs. Rob. Rutherford and other relatives left last week for their home in Moose.

Messrs. George Parrington and Jno. Murchison of Glenarm spent Saturday in the Falls on business.

Mr. Jack Brandon, of the L.C.L., spent the week end at his home in Fenelon Falls.

Miss Hamlin, of Kincardine, visited Mrs. Dr. G. C. Graham, last week.

Mrs. Dr. Gould spent a few days in Peterboro last week.

Miss Lula Jones has returned from a visit to Bobcaygeon friends.

Mr. Wm. Hodgson, of Coboconk, spent Friday at the Falls on business.

Mr. T. Bell has returned from Northern Ontario.

The many friends in Fenelon Falls of Mr. W. H. Cooke, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cooke, who removed from this village to Coboconk some years ago, will regret to learn that he is reported to be suffering from gunshot wounds in the hand and foot. Mr. Cooke, who is a member of and served by his parents on Friday, March 2nd.

The proceeds of the Red Cross tea given by the Women's Patriotic League on Saturday amounted to $22.50.

The young people of the Baptist church will give a patriotic concert in Dickson's hall on Friday evening, March 16th, the proceeds to be in aid of the Canadian Red Cross. A good programme consisting of choruses, dialogues, drills, musical selections, etc., will be given. Admission 15c.

The annual meeting of the church on Monday evening in the S. A. hall, when an attractive programme was presented.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Friday afternoon, March 16th, at the home of Mrs. A. Tiers.

WEEKLY BUDGET FROM BOBCAYGEON

Bobcaygeon, March 6.—Miss Myrtle Mills, of Peterboro General, spent Sunday with her parents.

Miss Deck, of the Galway school, spent Sunday with friends.

Miss Irene Braine is visiting friends in Fenelon Falls.

Miss Redden, of the Quigley school has returned home and Miss Jean Parker of Dunsford, is completing her term.

Mr. Mrs. T. B. Clark spent Sunday in Toronto.

A carnival will be staged by the young ladies' branch of the Soldiers' Aid Society on Friday, the 30th and the proceeds are to be used for material to make shirts for the seamen engaged in mine sweeping.

A little over three weeks ago the maternal instinct stirred in the breast of a hen owned by Mr. D. Hetherington, and that her worthy spouse might be reduced, a nice comfortable nest in a shady—hog pardon, a nice comfortable nest in a warm place was made for her and some eggs put beneath her. Faithfully she did her duty, and on Sunday her perseverance was rewarded, and now with a broad smile and contented look on her face, she watches with pride the fruit of her labor beneath her feet. Who can equal this?

Mrs. John Tait, of Harvey, on Friday last had the fun of sidestepping Sir Rudeau's barber shop and as a result got a gash on the back of her head. She was on her way home and she was carried into Bottum's hardware and given first aid. Unless something is done to render the sidewalks less dangerous after a thaw, this burg is going to have on its hands a case for damages, and consequence pay big fat damages for injuries someone receives.

All the signs point to an early spring. The crows have been back nearly a week, and the farmers are beginning to get restless and sigh. The farm labor problem is becoming acute. This is the time the farmers have to look for the spring and summer work, and the few who are willing to accept positions on the farm are asking for the earth and the board and begging to be excused from milking. This is some change from the good old days when good men received $150 per year. But times are prosperous times, and all classes, except the man of the country, are sharing in the general prosperity. Even the preachers and merchants have the same percentage of profit as before, isbn't wages his commodity, and consequently is the higher cost of living, but though the dollar of 1914 has shrunk to fifty-two cents he keeps on preaching and clergymen are not receiving any more now than before the war. It is the same with the merchant, he kept poor they probably will be kept humble, and pride is a serious sin and they don't like it. Let us get our high thinking go together, and we may expect some intellectual giants to be our leaders. Let the clergyman as he writes his sermons, hearing his wife scrape the flour barrel, and receive a thought.

The first game in the Bobcaygeon-Fenelon Falls contest for the Maple Leaf trophy was played Tuesday afternoon.

Fen. Falls	Goal	Bobcaygeon
J. Fairfield	Point	W. Brown
J. Halfway	Cover	C. Osh
Morley Reeve	Forward	A. E. Bottum

Fenelon Falls won by 13 goals to 4.

Fenelon Falls x22x4xxxxxx2x4—13
Bobcaygeon 2xxx1x11x22x4x—11

This is the young man's game, and he is not to be denied. On Monday, March 5th, the new baseball club of W. Taylor, H. Mark, D. McKinnon, W. Harry Read as skip can' tae grasp the idea that the new baseball club after their oldsters won a sixth season to our angels green. They stooped her up for they first game and they mericked and w-wicked and w-wicked long rakes were easy tae them as sinpuh' parrich. Long are the soil cans!—business boss — the sport and sportin' was clean gone out o' the sooners and they were dyin' fairly. The score? Swineen tae six.

Four Lindsay rinks on Tuesday night played the return friendly game and won four down. The local curlers entertained the visitors to a supper afterwards at the Rockland. There is a report going around this morning that out of our skips took an unfair advantage of his opponent by carrying a charm consisting of a goose's foot in his sweater coat pocket.

The Lindsay brothers, of Haliburton, who have been cutting wood for Thos. Kelly, and camped in the old house on the Adams farm, have had a good deal of sickness, and one of them, aged twenty-six, died of kidney trouble this. Wednesday morning, as here."

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"Do you suppose Mrs. Slocum will ever wipe out those debts of his?"

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MAYBE MORE

"Mrs. Fluhdub says she is going to Palm Beach for a rest."

"How inconsistent people are. Just as much gossip going on there as here."

ROLL OF HONOR

Several thousand officers and employees of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company enlisted for active military duty with the Canadian Expeditionary Forces, and the majority of them are now in Europe, bravely battling for Canada and the Empire.

Averill, William	Wheel Borer	West Toronto	Killed in action
Bennett, Charles W.	Engine	Regina, Sask.	Suffering from shock
Bigland, Richard K.	Cook	Montreal	Died of wounds
Blundell, William	Clerk	Montreal	Killed in action
Brightman, Sgt. G.	Ticket Clerk	Fort William	Wounded
Brown, William	Shunter's Asstt.	Angus	Wounded
Copeland, Thomas	Loco Fireman	Revelstoke	Wounded
Crawford, Owen W.	Fire Fitter's Hlpr.	Winnipeg	Wounded
Dickson, William	Cleaner	Winnipeg	Killed in action
Ellis, James O., St. J.	Asst. Engineer	Montville	Killed in action
Fletcher, Thomas	Painter	Fort William	Wounded
Gordon, Alexander	Loco. Fireman	Victoria	Killed in action
Haselgrove, A. W.	Electrician's Hlpr.	Angus	Killed in action
Kenna, Robert	Clerk	Montreal	Killed in action
Lyall, Sgt. Rupert	Machinist	Montreal	Killed in action
McDonald, Malcolm	Waiter	SS. "Kootenay"	Wounded
McGregor, Norman	Sleeping Foreman	Kamloops	Killed in action
Nase, William B.	Loco. Engineer	Fort William	Wounded
Taylor, James	Car Repairer	Smithboia	Suffering from shock
Ratcliffe, Frank J.	Machinist's Asstt.	Angus	Concussion
Rawkins, Ernest H.	Clerk	Angus	Wounded
Sinclair, Daniel G.	Car Inspector	Sortin	Killed in action
Speed, Alexander	Brakeman	Winnipeg	Suffering from shock
Spence, William T.	Loco. Fireman	London, Ont.	Killed in action
Staples, Percy W.	Engineer	Price's, Charlotte	Wounded
Stirling, John B.	Carpenter	Medicine Hat	Suffering from shock
Tait, Harvey	Clerk	Victoria	Wounded
Wark, Art. Goodwin	Brakeman	Kenora	Wounded
Wilkinson, Jesse	Yard Foreman	Moose Jaw	Wounded
Wills, Sydney Chas.	Car Cleaner	Glen Yard	Wounded
Wilson, Robert	Machinist	Angus	Wounded
Adamson, Richard L.	Draftsman	Strathmore	Killed in action
Bland, Wm. George	Asst. Engineer	Medicine Hat	Died of wounds
Buckingham, R. H.	Assistant Agent	Hannibal	Killed in action
Chapman, A. Garry	Stower	Winnipeg	Died of wounds
Clarke, Lorne	Fireman	Oliphant	Killed in action
Connors, William F.	Carpenter	Port William	Died of wounds
Dalton, Thomas	Labourer	Moose Jaw	Killed in action
Dauney, Thomas E.	Fire Inspector	Cranbrook	Wounded
Dunlop, Harold A.	Clerk	Brantford, Ont.	Died of wounds
Eaton, Julian W.	Trainman	Brit. Colum. Dist.	Killed in action
Fairbairn, Lieut. Ian	Observation Offr.	Winnipeg	Killed in action
Fraser, John Samuel	Stower	Winnipeg	Died of wounds
Grant, Fred Campbell	Timekeeper	Toronto	Killed in action
Green Robt. Henry	Clerk	Toronto	Gassed and prisoner
Harkins, Harold G.	Stenographer	Winnipeg	Wounded
Horwill, William B.	Bollerm'rs. Asp.	Ogden Shops	Wounded
Hughes, Harry	Miner	Lethbridge	Suffering from shock
Hughson, Henry E.	Wireman	Calgary	Killed in action
Keating, Harold G.	Clerk	Kamloops	Wounded
Kidd, George	Waiter	Winnipeg	Wounded
Landsdowne, Cecil J.	Yard Engineer	Toronto	Killed in action
Lang, Wm. Henry	Sleep. Car Clean'r	Port William	Killed in action
McArthur, Duncan	Machinist	Macleod	Killed in action
Macdonell, Hugh W.	Asst. Solicitor	Toronto	Wounded and prisnr.
Mackenzie, Roderick	Engine Foreman	Winnipeg	Wounded
Pearson, Thomas	Solicitor	Montreal	Killed in action
Rowe, John	Telegr. Operator	Toronto	Wounded
Russell, Jas. John	Telegr. Operator	Toronto	Wounded
Maxwell, J. G.	Lieut. 5th Batt.	Montreal	Killed in action
Normandill, John	Tyre Setter	Angus	Killed in action
Rowland, Herbert E.	Clerk	Montreal	Wounded
Nixon, John	Steamfitter's Hlpr.	Angus	Suffering from shock
Ross, Alexander	Car Repairer	Winnipeg	Suffering from shock
Reader, Chas. Frank	Ticket Clerk	Montreal	Wounded
Rushworth, George	Car Oiler	Winnipeg	Died of wounds
Taylor, William A.	Car Inspector	London, Ont.	Killed in action
Thompson, H. Arthur	Clerk	Winnipeg	Wounded
Wheeler, Percy	Clerk	Toronto	Wounded

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Dairyman's Convention

The Victoria Holstein-Friesian Association has arranged for a meeting of Dairymen to be held in the Council Chamber, (town hall) Lindsay on

THURSDAY, MARCH 15th, AT 2.00 P.M.

This will be the annual meeting of the Association.

PROGRAMME—2 to 2.30, Business, election of officers, etc. 2.30 Address 'Feeding Dairy Cows' by H. Purves Blackwater 3.15 Discussion led by Wm. Newman Lorneville.

3.30 Address "Standards for Breeders", R. S. Stevenson, Ancaster Ont.

4.15 Report on Farmers Motor trip of July 1916, by one of the party.

All interested in dairying are cordially invited to attend.

Wm. Newman President. W. G. Orvis, Secretary

God save the King.

CLAXTON'S WHITE SALE STARTS Saturday MARCH 10th

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12 yd ends of lace up to about 2 inches wide per end **29c**
12 yards

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MANILLA

(Special to The Post.)

On Wednesday afternoon, February 28, the regular monthly meeting of the Manilla Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Hattie Hunter. A very interesting and educative talk on Belgium was given by Mrs. McDonald, President of the Society, after which Mrs. W. Edwards sang "The girl who is gone while gone away." Then the ladies had the pleasure of listening to Mrs. Williamson, of Lindsay, president of this district, who spoke first of the Red Cross work that is being done in Lindsay and then gave some suggestions, which were kindly received by the Institute. At the close of her remarks Mrs. Hungerford, also of Lindsay, and secretary of this district, showed some samples of the work referred to by Mrs. Williamson. The members of the Institute were pleased to have with them these two ladies, who added so much to the afternoon's entertainment. The meeting closed by singing the National Anthem.

Due to some misunderstanding, it appears that a false impression is afloat in the district that we are not doing any Red Cross work. Now, this is quite untrue, and how it originated is unexplainable, unless from the fact that the Manilla people never advertise, as it has always been their policy not to set their left hand know what their right hand is doing. Consequently it might not be out of place to mention in this report, that the Manilla people have been and are still quietly and steadily working their part, and, to confirm this statement, it might be said that they have recently sent to the needlers of harvest containing 52 gems of fruit and jam, 33 pairs of socks, 42 hospital shirts, and 52 pairs of pyjamas, besides having a supply of the same on hand ready for shipment. The ladies sew every Wednesday afternoon.

The next regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Will. S. Pearce, March 28, when the Institute will have a "hemming contest," making handkerchiefs for the soldiers. A lunch, also, will be served, for which a small fee will be collected, the proceeds of which will go to the Red Cross Fund.

KIRKFIELD

(Special to The Post.)

Miss Florence MacLean, of L. C. I., spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. G. Pasch, of Sunderland, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. McInnis spent a few days with Orillia friends last week.

Mr. Chas. Gray, of Alonzo, visited his mother, Mrs. L. McEachern last week.

We regret to report the continued illness of Mrs. M. Fraser and hope for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Kenney, of Port Arthur, is the guest of Mrs. W. J. Mitchell.

Rev. Dr. Stenhouse, of Toronto, who was spending the week end at the home, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church Sunday afternoon and delivered a very eloquent and instructive sermon.

The regular meeting of the Kirkfield Red Cross Branch was held on Thursday afternoon last.

24 pairs of socks, 19 pairs pyjamas, 2 dozen hospital shirts and a quantity of smaller hospital supplies were sent forward to Headquarters, Toronto. Julia and Hobover have been very generous in sending supplies. From the former Society received 6 beautifully made pyjamas, mouth wipes and handkerchiefs. They also sent 2 pairs socks, Kirkfield branch supplying the wool. From Hobover a donation of 26 cents was received, every penny of it which our Society is very grateful.

A very successful sewing carnival was held on Feb. 15th. The proceeds netted some $61.09.

The thanks of the branch are due to the Kirkfield Band and others who contributed to the success of the evening.

All interested in this great work are cordially invited to attend the meetings and help in this great cause.

A patriotic concert was held in the town hall on Thursday evening under the auspices of the 109th Batt. Capt. Potts, O. C. B. Co., was in charge. Pte. Schofield ably carried on at the movie machine as also Lieut. Harry Morden at the organ during the evening. One of the most striking features of the evening was the singing of the National Anthem by the school children present. Miss Musgrove rendered a pleasing solo and Miss Mairs, Bond Head, of the "Girl Guides" was present and delivered an interesting address which dealt with the Girl Guide movement in Canada. Miss Mairs also referred to the present day apathy of the Red Cross needs and the need for the work on of-today to arouse, awaken and strengthen our national patriotism and be loyal to our country and to the call of the recruiting officer. She thought we had reached the intermediate stage in the recruiting campaign.

Capt. Potts also spoke during the evening and made a powerful appeal in his speech being direct in the extreme.

Lieut. Mordens followed him and in a stirring appeal to the young men.

The pupils of the school sang others present their rendered roundly patriotic numbers during the rousing of the last film. The pictures were all good. The meeting came to a close with the National Anthem being sung.

At the Kirkfield Inn afterward a complimentary supper was given to the officers, Lady McKenzie and her self attending.

Mrs. Frank Gordon of Lindsay, spent a few days with friends here.

The Kirkfield Hall on Thursday afternoon a most successful civic meeting was held and a very interesting address of the public school, with their teachers, attended.

Lady McKenzie attended with her party among whom was Miss Mairs, Dem. Secy. Girl Guides. Miss Mairs delivered an eloquent address on the subject of the organization of the patrols in connection with the Girl Guides of Canada. A parcel of which she and Lady McKenzie are very generous of having immediately founded in Kirkfield, for which purpose the official visit was made to town. She emphasized the fact of there being in Canada today over 10,000 Girl Guides pledged for the performing each day of good deeds for and to others. This Corps is not confined to any class, but is consciously moulding the characters of our Canadian girlhood into the finer womanly grooves of truly Christian character and would have their benefitent results on the future national life of the country. Rev. M. Lindsay, Mr. Hayes, Major Grace, of Toronto, and Capt. Potts of 226th Bn. also spoke a few words present. The school children sang patriotic solos while Lieut. Morden presided at the organ.

At the close Lady McKenzie entertained all present to afternoon tea.

Her efforts resulted most successfully in establishing very soon the desired Patrol at Kirkfield.

The continuous skating carnival on the rink proved one of the most delightful, as the skating rink on Wednesday evening was a most successful one, and under favorable conditions indeed, during the evening by the Woodville and Kirkfield brass bands. The rink was splendid condition and had a good crowd of skaters as well as spectators attended. During the evening refreshments were served on the ice.

There is a big shortage in both money and food. The relief workers get barely enough supplies come to them to keep the people from starving. the population alive and are sending agonized appeals to the more fortunate people on this continent for greater help."

Canada is sending a seventh shipment of food immediately on the opening of navigation. Will you help load this ship? Your contribution will be most thankfully received by The Post or by the Central Belgian Relief Committee, 53 St. Peter street, Montreal.

PHYSICALLY FIT NOT EMPLOYED

Ottawa, March 5.—Testifying before the Parliamentary Committee on returned soldiers, Dr. Adam Shortt, Civil Service Commissioner told the committee that the rest in appointing men to the service should be was to give preference first to returned soldiers, second to men who could show certificates of having volunteered fully offered themselves for active service, and third to women. Practically no one now was given a government job if he was of military age and physically fit.

Dr. Shortt protested against a recent order in council whereby any returned soldier who could read or write could be appointed by a departmental head to any of the lower positions in the inside or outside civil service either temporarily or permanently. He thought it unfair that men who had influence enough to secure appointments under this order in council could exclude men who had also served at the front, and who had passed or were prepared to pass the regular tests prescribed by the civil service act. There were more than enough of the latter, he said, to absorb all possible positions available. His own feeling was that appointments made now should be temporary, leaving the permanent appointees to be selected after demobilization from the most deserving and fittest applicants.

The normal absorptive power of the inside service at Ottawa, said Dr. Shortt, was about 300 per year. For the present there was about two thousand per year, mostly females at the present time, passed the semi-annual qualifying examinations. Dr. Shortt advocated the raising of the minimum salary from $400 per year, as at present, to $700 per year.

BELGIANS EATING CATS AND DOGS

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

That cats and dogs are now being eaten in Belgium is one of the two items of information received by the Central Belgian relief Committee in Montreal.

The other comes in a despatch from to I. Goor, the Belgian Consul General at in Canada, which says:

"The misery of the Ghent population is beyond description. The food dearth is continually increasing throughout the country. People are reduced to eating cat and dog meat almost daily when they can get it. Cats are said to be exceedingly scarce, being from 4 to 5 francs apiece. Potatoes have not been obtainable for several weeks, turnips are becoming scarce instead, and other vegetables.

That this eating of cat and dog meat is not an isolated case of necessity in Belgium is by reference to the other parts of Belgium, which describes the food shortage there as appalling.

"Canadians simply cannot realize the agony of the people from the Belgian Relief Committee, which has only hope of these people lies in the Belgian Relief commission which controls the food, which is under control, and distributes food every day to the starving."

OAKWOOD

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. Thomas James, f Semans, Sask., left on Tuesday evening for the West with a car load of fine horses, which he purchased in our neighborhood. His brother, Mr. Elezkiah James, of Semans, also shipped a carload on Monday from Lindsay.

Miss Etta Walton returned home on Monday evening, after spending a month's holiday with friends in Toronto.

Mr. F. P. Coad spent the past week in St. Catharines and Toronto. He returned here on Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Campbell, of Chicago, Ill., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Frot Every this week.

Miss Maggie McPhadden was in Woodville on Tuesday attending the funeral of her cousin, Miss Katherine Campbell.

Mrs. E. G. Lytle and little daughter Kathleen returned home on Thursday after spending a couple of months in Hamilton.

Mr. Wilmot F. Webster was called to Valentia on Thursday owing to the death of Mr. Arthur Hill. The funeral took place on Saturday. Interment took place at the Eden cemetery.

The many friends of Mr. Joseph Bowes are pleased to see him out again after his recent illness.

Mrs. Malcolm Murray and little daughter, of Toronto, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. B. B. Hicks.

Mrs. E. J. Johnson returned to Toronto on Monday morning after attending the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. C. H. Sheppard.

Mr. N. J. Gardiner and little daughter Nrma spent Wednesday last in Sunderland.

Dr. Dowd, of Toronto visited our village on Tuesday last on business.

Mr. Ben Hancock spent a couple of days in Oshawa this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Webster attended the funeral of Mrs. Webster's grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Penicl, on Sunday.

Mr. G. Arthur Washington, of Toronto, was in our village on Thursday renewing acquaintances.

We are pleased to hear that Mrs. Wm. Amey, of Cannington, who has been very ill with pneumonia while visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Cameron, is now recovering. Mrs. Amey is under the care of Dr. J. H. McCormack and nurse, Miss M. Kirkland, and Mr. and Mrs. Amey, of Cannington, are also with her.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. P. Brass kindly entertained the members of the choir at their home on Thursday last, when a most pleasant time was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Short and Master Leonard spent Sunday with their grandfather, Mr. J. F. Cunnings.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hodgson, of Toronto, have moved into the Amey farm recently occupied by Mr. Alvery McDonald, who has moved on the farm recently occupied by the late Mr. John T. Dogeer.

Mr. William O. King has leased Mr. Alvery McDonald's farm for three years, as Mr. Brass and family are moving to Lindsay shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Mr. Sinclair, of Salem spent Sunday with Mr. B. B. Hicks.

Mr. Oscar Wakely's horse ran away on Sunday afternoon from East Oakwood and ran as far as Mr. Taylor's residence. Fortunately no one was injured, nor damage was done.

Miss Lottie Tinney left on Tuesday for Belleville, where she will commence her studies at Albert College.

Mr. N. J. Stevens, V. S., has been indisposed for the past week. Mr. T. Lacey, V. S., of Lindsay, has been assisting him with his work here.

Messrs. Bonney and Rodman sold a carload of Princess Potatoes for Mr. Charles Thomas last week.

Mr. Sam Nicholls and family, of Toronto, have moved into the village, having rented Mr. Jas. Thornalike's farm here.

The final contest under the auspices of the Mission Band will be held in the basement of the church on Saturday afternoon. At the close of the programme refreshments will be served.

Miss Geraldine Perrin has accepted the position of bookkeeper in Mr. O. Wakely's store. Miss Ina Brass having resigned. We wish her soon recover victuity for Lindsay.

The session of Division Court which was to have been held here on Monday was adjourned until May 3rd.

The Junior department t of our public school has been closed this week, owing to the illness of the teacher, Miss E. B. Dix.

The social evening of the Adult Bible Class will be held at the basement of the church on Friday evening, March 9th. A good program is being prepared and a report of the convention at Hamilton will be given by the delegate, Mr. David Harcus, after which refreshments will be served.

We are pleased to have Rev. J. U. Robins and family in our midst again, after having spent nearly two months in Bridge street with his wife, Mate Archer, who is now improving nicely.

CHILDHOOD AILMENTS

The ills of childhood come swiftly, and too often before a doctor can be called in or medicine obtained the little one is beyond help. Baby's Tablets are always at hand and I am well pleased with their use." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

CATTLE SOLD FOR SPLENDED FIGURE

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

That it pays to raise cattle on the farm was demonstrated on Monday when Mr. Geo. Lane, of East Oakwood brought twelve head of cattle to Lindsay and disposed of them to Mr. Thos. Arnold for the handsome sum of $1198.82. Most of the cattle were raised by Mr. Lane.

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REPORT OF THE LICENSE BOARD

The report of the Board of License Commissioners for Ontario for the year 1916 has just been issued. It shows that the number of prosecutions committed for drunkenness during the year just closed was 267 less than in the year previous. Three and one-half months of the year was under prohibition. The report makes mention of the great amount of work which devolved upon the Board consequent upon adhering in the new Temperance Act, but the Board feels that the machinery for the enforcement of the Act is in a very satisfactory condition. The fines collected during the year amounted to $51,214.94, and in the local option municipalities the amount collected was $13,277.

FEWER MILK COWS IN THE COUNTRY

The latest estimate of live stock in Canada gives a total of 6,429,864, or six per cent over the number recorded in 1915, says the Trade and Commerce Department. The increase in respect of beef cattle amounts to 7.6,000, of 12.7 per cent, while milch cows show a decrease, indicating a tendency to neglect dairy farming in favor of beef production. Sheep show a shrinkage of 3.6 per cent.

Exports of chilled beef in 1916 are estimated at 21,723 tons, as against 8,280 tons in 1915 and practically nil in 1914.

In connection with this new trade it may be said that the rapid live stock development is attracting the attention of the government as well as of farmers throughout the Dominion. There has been built up on a foundation of high prices, but it is believed that the export trade can be maintained in normal times. Proposals have been put forward to establish a chilled beef trade with the United Kingdom. The advantages are that the right quality of meat is available and the distance from Canada to Britain is less than from any of the Argentine ports.

PETERBORO MAY REDUCE POLICE FORCE

Ald. Stratton in Peterboro city council drew attention to the fact that a number of cities were making big reductions in the police force owing to the Ontario Temperance Act working well that there was nothing for the police to do. Kingston had reduced its force by seven. He moved that the Police Commissioner show cause why the local force should not be reduced by three. It would save between $1800 and $2500.

The motion carried.

OBSERVANCE OF GOLDEN WEDDING

Fenelon Falls, March 6. — Mr. and Mrs. Eli Worsley of this village celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Sunday, March 4th, 1917. Of a family of eleven children, six daughters and five sons, only two were able to be present on this happy occasion. These were Mrs. Lillie Thompson, of Toronto, and Mr. J. A. Worsley, of Roseville, Sask. Many letters of congratulation were received by Mr. and Mrs. Worsley from their absent children, also many presents, amongst them being Mr. and Mrs. S. Brokenshire, the former having been present on their wedding day; also Mrs. Worsley's sister, Mrs. R. McGee; Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Sims, who have been their neighbors for over fifty years when on the farm. Mrs. (Dr.) Sims and Mrs. L. Thompson looked after the guests at the table, which was a most sumptuous repast, after which a nice social time was spent in singing hymns and sacred songs.

REAL CAREFULNESS

"What is your idea of a careful automobile driver?"

"One that not only avoids accidents that he would be responsible for, but also keeps out of those that would not be his fault if they happened."

SHE WAS QUALIFIED

The ladies of Olympus
By men were often twitted,
The latter said the women
Were not for office fitted.

So then the girls got busy,
They took a little flier,
And, putting up Niobe,
Elected her town crier.
—Kansas City Journal.

The LATEST in HAND BAGS

The latest Hand Bags have particularly beautiful linings. Some are of plain silk, others striped silk, many with daintily colored patterns; while the interior of the small purse neatly divided inside is lined to match.

The fine Crepe and Fin Seal Leather Bags are very fine. Bags of these materials are priced from $7.50 to $9.50.

Among other styles you will find a selection in Silk Bags as well as in Japanese Leather. These too are neatly lined and are very moderate in price. There is a style for every individual taste.

McCARTY'S Jewelry Store
Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens
"Sexsmith" Fountain Pens

OMEMEE

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. William Kerr, of Peterboro, was in town last week renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Pallis, of Frankville, were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Jos. Shields, over the week end.

Mr. Henry Nugent was in Lindsay on business during the past week.

Mr. Ross MacPherson has returned to Toronto, after a pleasant visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. MacPherson.

Miss Sadie Clarke, nurse in training at the Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay, was the guest of her mother Mrs. N. P. Clarke, during the past week.

Mrs. Laughton Wilwss was the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Walker, of Peterboro, last week.

Mr. M. Moore, of Mount Horeb was in town on business on Friday last.

Miss R. Toms, of Whitby, has returned to take charge of Mr. T. A. MacPherson's millinery parlors for the spring season.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lang were visitors to Lindsay during the past week.

Mrs. J. Coulter, of Toronto, who has been the guest of her friend, Mrs. F. E. MacPherson, left on Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. W. Watson, of Coboconk.

Mrs. D. McMann of Mount Pleasant, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Rutherford over the week end.

Mrs. S. Shugrett and daughter, Miss Maxine, were visitors to Lindsay on Saturday.

Miss Eva Fee was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Fee, over Sunday.

Mr. Clement Stewart, of Toronto is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stewart.

Mrs. (Dr.) Grey, of Peterboro is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. McQuade.

Capt. Thorne, of Kingston spent the week end with his family in town.

The members of the adult bible class of the Methodist church will give an Irish social and programme on the 18th of March. Reserve the date for St. Patrick's eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ingram were in Lindsay on business last week.

Mrs. T. A. MacPherson is the guest of Toronto friends for a few days.

Mr. James Laidley, of the West is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laidley.

Rev. Gyppy Smith, of Cobourg occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church on Sunday and was greeted with a full house at both morning and evening services. He delivered his lecture, "From Gypsy Camp to Pulpit" on Monday evening to almost as large an audience, who were by no means disappointed. Mr. Smith also sang several solos, which were very much appreciated and enjoyed by all.

UPHILL

(Special to The Post.)

These letters were received by the Uphill Red Cross Aid, acknowledging parcels that were sent to them before Christmas:

France, Dec. 20, 16.

I wish to thank one and all of the Uphill ed Cross Aids for such a splendid parcel which I received on Friday night before me. I certainly enjoyed each and everything. It was just lovely. I am going for the night tonight, and my haversack is well filled with the grand contents of your parcel.

Once more I thank you all very very much.

Your friend,

PTE. RICHMOND DEWELL.

Somewhere in France, Jan. 1, 17.

Dear Friends.—Just a line in answer to your kind welcome letter. I don't know how I can thank the ladies of the Uphill Red Cross Aids for sending me such a good box. It was simply grand, and those home knit socks felt just as if they were made to order. Now I must close and all you ladies enjoy the new year. I am having a very good time indeed, so we will have two Christmases this year. We had a green Christmas, which you does not in the old very well. I wish I could tell you more, but one can't write much.

Please remember me to the ladies of Uphill and once more I thank you for your kindness.

ROY G. McNEAL.

The Red Cross Aid of Uphill have sent to the Kirkfield branch the following:—8 pair of socks, 6 surgical shirts, 6 pyjama suits, besides a good number of handkerchiefs and mouthwipes.

The ladies of Uphill have commenced to give an afternoon tea once a week in aid of the Red Cross Society. Mrs. Wm. Peterbrook gave us our first afternoon tea Feb. 22nd, and Mrs. G. McNeal's took place on Feb. 28th.

Mrs. Norman Shier has rented the Patton cattle ranch, and has moved into Uphill to take possession of it and calculates to ranch four or five hundred head of cattle.

Mr. J. Suter, is all smiles. It's a girl.

LINDEN VALLEY

(Special to The Post.)

Mrs. A. Gilson, of Scopa, spent a few days last week in her daughter, Mrs. Marshall Crease.

A young son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rogers on Wednesday last.

Mr. Sam Hancock, of Woodville, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. J. W. Hancock's on Saturday.

Mr. L. Minty, of Lindsay, spent Sunday with Mr. Marshall Crease's.

Mrs. Marshall and friend, Mrs. Taylor, of Essonville, were the following: As a result of prohibition in Spokane, Washington, the jail steward sells, "11 cent cigars made for 10 cents to prisoners tonight." It looks as though pretty soon they won't need anyone to fill cells pioneers. For there won't be any. At present in this jail there are forty-one prisoners, with two bits in the county jail of this district alone. Advocates of the liquor traffic should spare no pains to find out why this change.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gorrell spent the week end at her sister's, Mrs. Moon, at Nestleton.

POWLES' CORNER

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. Wm. Owens of Lindsay, has been through this section canvassing the farmers for cream for the Lindsay creamery. As far as we can learn he has secured quite a number and our county town were very well satisfied. There is only one farmer in this section who was a Doubting Thomas. There should be more of them used.

We copy from Onward, a Methodist Sunday school paper, the following: As a result of prohibition in Spokane, Washington, the jail steward sells, "11 cent cigars made for 10 cents to prisoners tonight." It looks as though pretty soon they won't need anyone to fill cells pioneers. For there won't be any. At present in this jail there are forty-one prisoners, with two bits in the county jail of this district alone. Advocates of the liquor traffic should spare no pains to find out why this change.

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JANETVILLE

Miss Clara Stephenson, of Reaboro, is visiting her cousin, Miss Pearl O'Neil.

Miss Gwendolin Rae, of L. C. E., and Miss Ieuan Vandusen, teacher, of Bethany, spent Sunday at Mrs. Moses Holby and Olive Irvine over Sunday.

Miss Clara Heaslip, of Lindsay, spent Sunday under the parental roof.

Mr. Clarence Neals of Lifford attended church here on Sunday evening last.

The monthly meeting of the W. I. will meet at the home of Mrs. Jamieson on Thursday, March 15th. All members are invited to attend.

Mr. James Porter has sold his handsome driving horse to Mr. Hillage of Mrs. Wm. Thompson.

Mr. James Howe and a business trip to Toronto on Monday.

Mr. Lawrence Wright has been in Toronto attending the bedside of her sister who is not expected to recover.

Mr. Elmer Skuce, of Mount Hesch consulted the concert here on Friday evening.

Miss M. Marshall, of Lot 21, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Marshall.

Our popular Warden, Mr. J. Armstrong, is a business trip to Toronto.

Mrs. C. G. Johnston and Caughter, Aileen have returned to their home in Westboro, Sask., after spending the winter with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bradburn.

Mrs. E. A. Watson, of Lindsay, is visiting her friend, Mrs. John Read-burn.

COBOCONK

(Special to The Post.)

Miss T. L. Beard, of Pontefin Falls, spent a couple of days the guest of Miss Etta Jackson, of here.

Mr. Arthur Hall is spending a business visitor in Lindsay for a couple of days this week.

Mr. Batty, sr., who has been visiting friends and relatives here for some time, left here on his way back west on Tuesday morning.

Owing to accident and storm combined that Tuesday night, which has to due to arrive here at 9.50 o'clock p.m. did not get in till 9 a. m. on Wednesday morning.

Mr. Roy Shields, of here was a business visitor to Toronto for a couple of days last week.

Mrs. Dr. Gould, of Pontefin Falls, spent a few days the guest of Mrs. John Cooke, of here last week.

Miss Ella Taylor of Cannington, is visiting friends here.

Mr. Jas. Hutchinson, of here, spent Wednesday of last week in Lindsay.

Mr. Arthur Ham was a business visitor to Lindsay last week.

Word was received here last Friday by Mrs. Jack Hall, of here, that her husband, Pte. Wm. Hall, son of Mr. W. H. Cooke, formerly of the 109th Lindsay Batt., then transferred to the 21st Battalion, had been severely gassoned wounds in the hand and foot and so far no more particulars have been received here.

REABORO.

(Special to The Post.)

The March meeting of the Reaboro Woman's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Bruce Smith Thursday afternoon, March 1st. The president, Mrs. W. I. Reid was in the chair. The meeting opened with the singing of The Maple Leaf, and a few minutes of silent prayer. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. The business was then dealt with. Mrs. T. Hickson gave a report of what has been done by the Institute during the year, and it was decided to buy more yarn for socks. The programme consisted of an Irish reading by Mrs. Bruce Boyd, a reading by Miss Janet McNeelands and a paper by Mrs. W. J. McNevin, "The Value of Cheerfulness." The roll call was answered by Help ful Hints. The meeting closed by singing the National Anthem. A social half hour was spent over the refreshments after the meeting, a business meeting of Mrs. Wm. Stokes, Mrs. H. Reeds and Mrs. A. Mahon.

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PRINCESS SLIPS

Misses' and Ladies' Princess Slips, made of fine Cambric, trimmed Torchon Lace. All sizes. White Sale Price, each $1

We show a magnificent range of Princess Slips in dainty effects, up to each $4

CORSET COVERS

Ladies' Corset Covers, made of fine Cambric, trimmed with linen, lace and insertion, ribbon run. All sizes. White Sale Price, each 25c

Very special Corset Covers, made of fine Cambric, lace and insertion trimming, ribbon run. All sizes. White Sale Price each 35c

Other lines from $2.00 down to 50c

Handsome Silk Camisoles, in flesh, maize and sky. A beautiful range, from each $1.25 to $2.50

TABLE LINENS

Very Special Half Bleach Tabling, in pretty floral design for everyday use. White Sale Price, per yard 40c

Pure Bleach Tabling, in dainty floral patterns. A beauty for domestic use. White Sale Price, per yard 45c

A big choice in Table Linens from $2.50 yard down to 75c

DRAWERS

Ladies' fine Cambric Drawers, in Envelope, Varsity and Umbrella styles, with hemstitched, tucked frill. All sizes. White Sale Price, 29c

Beautiful fine Cambric Drawers, in all the above styles, embroidery and lace trimming. All sizes. White Sale Price, pair 50c

We show a big range of these garments from 75c up to $3.00.

Handsome Silk Tights, 'Niagara Maid,' in black, white and flesh. Per pair $3

GOWNS

Ladies' fine Cambric Night Gowns in slip-over styles, lace trimming, ribbon run. All sizes. White Sale Price, each 59c

Fine Cambric Night Gowns, slip-over styles, lace and embroidery trimming, ribbon run. All sizes. White Sale Price, each 75c

We show a beautiful range of gowns in fine Cambrics, Nainsook and Crepes, trimmed with fine Swiss embroidery, lace and insertion, round in square and scalloped yoke effects, some with dainty sleeves of wide shadow lace. Price each, 1 to $5

UNDERSKIRTS

Ladies' fine Cotton Underskirts, made with wide tucked frill, all sizes. Wonderful at the price. White Sale Price, each 50c

Fine Cotton Underskirts, made with tucked flounce, trimmed with wide embroidery. All sizes. White Sale Price 75c

Beautiful fine Cambric and Nainsook Underskirts, trimmed with fine lace and Swiss embroidery. A very large handsome effects from each ..... 1 to $5

SHEETING

Heavy Bleached Sheeting, full 72 inches wide, free from dressing. An excellent cloth for general use. White Sale Price, per yard 35c

Heavy Unbleached Sheeting, 72 inches wide, free from specks or dressing. Very special cloth at the price. White Sale Price, per yd 27c

We show a big range of Bleached and Unbleached Sheetings from, 65c yd down to 35c

TOWELLINGS

Heavy Roller Towelling, 18 inches wide, pure bleach, with or without red border. White Sale Price, per yard 11c

Pure Linen Roller Towelling, 18 in. wide, plain color or white, with border. An excellent towelling for everyday use. White Sale Price, per yard 15c

A big range of Imported Roller and Huck Towellings, plain and fancy, from 85c per yard to 12½c

PILLOW COTTONS

Excellent quality Pillow Cotton, circular, 42 inches wide, pure bleach, free from dressing. A beauty at the price. White Sale Price, per yard 23c

Beautiful Pillow Cotton, circular, 42 and 44 in. wide, heavy quality, pure bleach, free from dressing. White Sale Price, per yard 25c

We have an excellent choice in Pillow Cottons from 35c yard to 25c

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Among Young Men

Our selection is appealing in the New Pleat Effects, and Patterns, and offers values that are Quite Unobtainable considering the Present Cost of Materials and Workmanship.

$12.00 TO $20.00

The partiality of Pinch Back Suits is quite evident by the great number of well dressed young men who are at present wearing them. They are purposely fashioned to convey a form fitting and athletic appearance, and most certainly give the wearer an air of distinction and refinement. So, if you are in need of a smart, up-to-date suit or clothes, get a Pinch Back. Specially featured in our collection for Young Men's Suits is a line at $12.00.

They are all carefully tailored and the Coats have pleats running from well up on the shoulders, and in some cases, below the belt; and are in two-button sack style with fairly long peaked lapels and patch- or flap-pockets.

SET OF MENUS FOR CHEAP LIVING

Recently twelve "rookies" of the New York police department pitched tavern on a diet to cost not more than a $5 cents a day to ascertain whether it is possible to live decently on that. The demonstration has attracted wide attention.

Each day when the menus were printed the number of calories in the various portions of food were appended with the result that the needs of the "rookies" and "flipdats." Public officials, opera singers and newspaper men have all had advice which was wholesome and palatable.

The effect has been the unwilling acquirement by the squad of a wide lesson of eating. Many families now realize that they have been eating too much meat, too much fried food, too much sweet pastry and too much coffee and tea.

Each day the squad has received a bulletin of what to eat and how much to eat. Here is one of them:

Breakfast—Oatmeal and milk. Toast and butter. Coffee with milk. (Cocoa for children.)

Luncheon—Salmon croquettes with peas and one date. Bread and butter. Tea with one milk. (Cocoa for children.)

Dinner—Baked split peas. Stuffed green peppers. Whole wheat bread. Butter. Stewed prunes. Bread pudding. Tea with milk. (Cocoa for children.)

Not so bad. But the average housewife would have some difficulty in preparing a meal consisting of salmon croquettes and peas for a week.

The test came to an end last week. The men were in better condition at the finish than at the beginning, and they began the test the twelve men weighed 2,600 pounds. A few days before the end their total weight was 2,589 1-2 pounds. They gained 12 pounds.

The Health Education Bureau, under whose direction the test for policemen was conducted, has done a great deal of investigation and reading. Most of this has been summed up in the following:

RAISING POLL TAX TO TEN SPOT

Peterboro Review.—The following motion to give the city power to levy a poll tax of $10 this year was passed by the council on the same night as motion of Ald. Stratton, seconded by Ald. Dobbin:

That in view of the many men employed in the city on munition and other remunerative work, and, while being neither householders or owners of property and contributing little or nothing to the upkeep of the municipal or general revenue, they enjoy a benefit at the hands of the city that the Council take steps to solicit from the Legislature now in session power to pass a by-law this year on a special tax of ten dollars a such sum as may be deemed advisable under in the form of a special or of an increased poll tax over and above the amount now imposed, and that when such request is made to the Legislature that it carry with it, if permission be accorded, a stipulation that the moneys of labour may be required to supply to the city assessor lists of men employed and the amount of work per week or month as the case may be; that this matter, if deemed advisable by this Council be referred to the Finance Committee or other Committee for immediate action; that the terms of the resolution must be altered if the idea be not hereto clearly or properly expressed.

TOO LOUD

"Did I hear that young man kiss you last night, dear?"

"If I attend so, mother, I told him not to open his mother."

FATHER'S DEFINITION

"Pa, what's a running account?"

"It's an open account in a dry goods store, my son, which keeps you busy adding and subtracting—all the time to buy things."

ANXIOUS

Crowe — Good heavens, how is Jones, I feel awfully anxious about him. Have you seen him recently—all this?

Dreer — Oh, shall be all right. Shall take elocutie in some shop.

Crowe — Exactly. That's what

PLOT FRUSTRATED TO BLOW UP MUNITION PLANTS IN THE STATES

Hoboken, N. J., March 8.—With the arrest here today of Fritz Kolb, a German, the authorities expressed the belief that they had frustrated a well developed plot to aid Germany by blowing up munition plants in this country engaged in turning out contracts for the Entente allies. The police say they found in Kolb's room two bombs, which, according to rumor that had reached them, were to be sent to President Wilson.

After a preliminary investigation they announced themselves as convinced that the plans of the alleged plotters had to do entirely with destroying war supplies and that no attack on the President's life was contemplated. The police also said they had come into possession of information which might help them to solve the Black Tom N. J. explosion, and the destruction of the Kingsland, N. J. plant of the Canadian Car and Foundry Company, in which large munition supplies for the Entente allies were blown up.

Four other men were questioned by the authorities tonight. Chief of Police Hayes, of this city, said they were friends of Kolb, but that he was convinced they knew nothing of the alleged plot.

MORE ARRESTS EXPECTED

"We are following leads which may result in additional arrests at any time," declared Chief Hayes. "We are co-operating with the New York police and the neutrality squad of the collector of the port of New York. All of us have been working on this for several weeks."

Kolb was found in a small hotel, opposite the piers of the Hamburg-American Line. His room, it was asserted, bore the appearance of having been used as laboratory. Besides the two bombs, the police say they found some chalky substance that had used in ships, part of it brass and part of it steel." The bombs were made of iron pipe, it was said. There also a flask of black powder, two lead cans, three bottles containing gasoline, benzine and alcohol, tools, miscellaneous materials, trinitrotoluol and black disc powder. Experts from the New York Detective Bureau said the disc powder was new to them, but they believed it was similar to some used in Germany.

TWO PLOTTERS UNDER ARREST FRAMED CONSPIRACY AGAINST INDIA

New York March 6.—Dr. C. Hanador Chakisberty, a Hindu physician, and Dr. Ernest Sckunner, thirty-four, described as a German, were arrested today on charges of conspiracy to set up a military expedition against a foreign country on friendly relations with the United States. The police say the men confessed that they had plotted under direction of Wolf von Igel to invade India by way of China. Von Igel, indicted but never tried for alleged complicity in an alleged plot to destroy the Welland Canal, is said to have left Bernsdorf, former German Ambassador to the United States, who is approaching Copenhagen on the steamship Frederick VIII.

From von Igel, according to the police, Dr. Chakisberty got his number, who have been under suspicion for some time, received $60,000 and the Hindu, posing as a Persian merchant, obtained a passport which enabled him to get to Berlin. In this connection an additional charge of fraudulently obtaining a passport has been made against the physician.

MINED LITERATURE FOUND.

Dr. Chakisberty, according to alleged confession, revealed his plans of an invasion of India to certain officials in Berlin and then returned to New York, where he and Schunner prepared literature printed in various native India languages. In the Hindu, in West 125th street, it is said, the men were arrested today, the police seized large quantities of this literature and found also a complete chemical laboratory.

After the literature was prepared, according to the police, Dr. Chakisberty and Skunner employed as their agent an influential Chinaman, whom they sent to his native country with the idea of interesting his Government in a plan to ship arms and ammunition from the United States to China, where, with the Chinese Government's connivance, these would be stored until the time was set for the invasion.

The police said the two men declared they heard nothing from their Chinese representative and did not know his success, if any.

In the laboratory Schunner was endeavoring, according to the police, to concoct a preparation to be used "to disguise contraband of war," the character of this preparation he refused to disclose. Ten thousand small aluminum boxes about the size of a pillbox were sold, together with what appeared to be official papers. The latter have been traced over to the Government agents.

CASE TO GRAND JURY.

Dr. Chakisberty and Schunner were taken to the Federal building, where their cases are to be taken before a Grand Jury after the men are arraigned before a United States Commissioner.

Agents of the Department of Justice took Chakisberty to a Wall street bank, where a safety deposit box, where he said he kept papers. The building is the same one in which von Igel, who was an Attache of the German Embassy, had his office, and where, it was alleged, he violated the neutrality laws.

HELD IN $25,000 BAIL EACH.

Secretary Lansing, Dr. Chakisberty were arraigned before a United States Commissioner and held in $25,000 bail each for examination next Tuesday. They had no counsel, and the Commissioner assigned an attorney to represent them. Both men later furnished bonds and were released. In making arrangements to get bail Chakisberty displayed a certified cheque for $10,000.

AN INVITATION TO SICKNESS

Impure Blood Means a Breakdown in Your Health.

Impure blood is an invitation to sickness. Rich blood is at work day and night to maintain the health, and any lack of strength or purity in the blood is a weakness in the defense against disease. Anaemia is the doctor's name for lack of blood. There may be enough blood, but the quantity of the blood, or one or more of its constituents may be lacking. The most serious anaemia is pernicious anaemia is particularly common in young girls. It is not, however, confined to the young girl. It may suffering from this trouble take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They make new blood with every dose and this new blood means new health and vigor. Mrs. Frederick Bedford, Bedford, Ont., tells how she was in a badly run down condition, my blood was watery, and I was very nervous. I had about a year ago. I was in a badly run down condition, my blood was watery, and I was very nervous. I had about a year ago suffered from frequent headaches and found my housework an almost intolerable burden. I got no benefit from medicine and I did not seem to assimilate the food I ate. I accepted my condition as normal serious. As there was no doctor in our neighborhood I decided to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial and I have much cause to be thankful that I did so, as in a few weeks I could feel a great change for the better. I continued the use of the pills for some time longer, and found myself restored to health. I feel well have for years, and can therefore cheerfully recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to all who are weak and run down."

You can get these pills from any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50, from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

MADE A HIT WITH HER

"I suppose you women could improve on Congress."

"Perhaps in some things. But there is one thing about congress that appeals to me."

"What is that?"

"The way things are conducted for whether there is money in the treasury or not." — Kansas City Journal.

EXPENSIVE LUXURY

Bilkins—Home, they say, is the happiest place on earth.

Wilkins—Yet; that's why we quit housekeeping and went to board.

JUDGMENT ENTERED WITHOUT COST

Osgoode Hall, Toronto.—Appeal of the plaintiff, Daniel McGillivray, of the Township of Dunsford, against the judgment of the County Court of the County of Victoria in an action for damages for slander awarded to Lauchlin McEachern, of Kirkfield. At the trial the jury found that the plaintiff sustained no damage. He failed to bring in a verdict for either party. The Court of Appeal varied the judgment by directing that judgment be entered for the defendant without costs, each party to pay his own costs of the appeal. Mr. E. F. Wellon for the appellant and Mr. L. V. O'Connor for the respondent.

WEEKLY BUDGET FROM BOBCAYGEON

(From Friday's Daily.)

Sunday morning the thermometer was 18 below and Monday morning it was raining. The weather is some quick change artist. The rain left the sidewalks in a dangerous state and several accidents resulted. Miss Cross fell at the icy corner of the Orr store and cut her nose, requiring three stitches. Miss Gladys Kimble fell on the decline near McIntyre's, and broke her collar bone. Another young lady fell and broke—her spectacles.

Mr. Botham was in Hamilton last week attending the Convention of Retail Hardware men.

Mr. W. C. Moore is in Toronto this week attending a meeting called to discuss the advisability of calling a patriotic convention to meet in Montreal to inspire the country to make further efforts and sacrifices as Canada's part to win the war.

The draw for the three pair some contest has been made and some exciting games are being played. Monday night Stanley Lebet ... e Dick Nicholls the score of her side 42 played Percy eds Hall a score of 12 to 13. Earlier in the evening W. H. Davis put one over Frank Dean.

Mrs. Wareham, of Massey, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Humphries, left for home on Tuesday.

Mrs. McQuade is in Toronto attending the millinery openings.

Miss Grace Robinson and Mr. Y. W. Cosh are both captives of a grippe.

The moving pictures in the town hall under the auspices of the 253rd are drawing a full house Monday night.

No, the report that Mr. W. T. Cosher had turned Turk is not true. The fez, tassel, turban on his head in the landscape just is still necessary from the serious fall he had last week.

The sale at Coghlan's on the Galway Road on Tuesday brought good prices. Mr. Coulter has sold his farm to Mr. Jas. Sandham and is not sure about what he will do. In the meantime he and Mrs. Coulter will visit friends in the States.

The residents of Kingsti, especially the young fry, were thrown into quite a state of excitement and alarm Saturday by the visit of a big gray horned owl, which from the vantage ground of the roof of Mr. Alex Bick's house viewed the landscape o'er and a fruitless search was begun for some one who owned a gun. But the owl didn't be shot, but the owners of guns were not to be found, so the owl, having had his inspection, departed whence he came.

LICENSE BOARD AFTER THE DOCTORS

(From Monday's Daily.)

The Ontario License Board are going to get after doctors who give prescriptions for liquor for other than legitimate purposes. It has been reported that one doctor in a certain town has given "prescriptions" for fruit cakes and baking purposes. The board has directed its inspector to enquire into the matter, and if it can be proved that the doctor and druggist provided liquor culpably they will be prosecuted.

The board is also getting in returns of the sales of liquor at drug stores and no doubt will be able to up this kind of thing. Other cases which come to the notice of the board will have the full force of the regulations will be prosecuted if it is found that doctors are deliberately giving unnecessary prescriptions for liquor. It has been reported that from 85 to 90 per cent. of prescriptions from one doctor's pen has been for liquor.—Telegram.

The Post's Want Advts. pay.—Try one.

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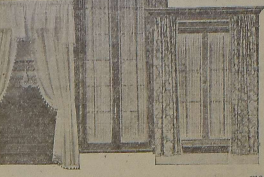

The brightness of these days makes the home owner think of things new that would go to help make the best spot on earth more pleasant. We have provided many decidedly attractive lines that will help you accomplish your wishes at a very moderate cost, and for this and many other good reasons, we will be glad to have the opportunity of talking the matter over with you.

An early visit to our home furnishings section will be both interesting and profitable. Make it a point to come soon, below we mention a few lines that are sure to interest you for most homes can place some of these to good advantage. Just in passing we might call your attention to the fact that now we are able to save you money as our 1916 contracts are being filled nicely. You will readily understand your interest in economy has been considered by us long ago.

Window Shades, Draperies, Curtain Nets, Voiles, Scrims, Marquisettes, Madras Materials, Shadow Cloths, Poplins, Chintz, Room Rugs, Small Mats and Floor Coverings of all Kinds.

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LINDSAY, ONT.

DUNSFORD SOLDIERS EXPRESS THANKS

The Post has been requested to publish the following letters received from two well known Dunsfordites who are overseas:—

No. 7 Can. Gen. Hospital,
81st Lazar Div.,
London, England.

To Sec. Ladies Patriotic Society, Dunsford:—

Dear Miss Wilson,—Almost a month ago I received a postal from you announcing that a parcel had been forwarded to me from the Ladies Patriotic Society of Dunsford. On Jan. 3rd the parcel arrived, having travelled from the Field Comforts department at Moore Barracks, Shorncliffe, Eng. It was in perfect condition and contained an assortment of articles and "treats" that any one over here would appreciate very highly. The following fellows enjoyed the contents with me in the Sergt. Major's office on the evening of Jan. 3rd:—Sergt. A. T. Evans, Sergt. G. L. Bell, Sergt. H. A. Jinnum, Corpl. Henry, L.-Corpl. Kinnick, Pte. F. Beadle, Pte. Pierce, Pte. McNicol, Pte. Cadman, Pte. Champagne and Pte. H. Austin. I gave the parcel to Sergt. Major Kearney and Goodfellow and Pte. McIntosh, the smoking I shall keep for pipe dreams for my own self at the first Sergeant's mess room.

Occasionally when home on visit as leave I have felt almost like a stranger. Those with whom I attended school are either married and settled down or else over-seas. Many have chosen to live in other parts of our country. The only thing missed during my absence from Dunsford are now the grown up young people and seemed almost like strangers. However, such a gift as I have just received from your Society speaks plainly enough in showing that one of those I have never yet forgotten those who have left them and wandered off even to France.

At this time I should like to express my warmest thanks for the donation your splendid helpers have previously made to our hospitals. You do not, I am sure, realize how much we appreciate the sacrifices you women are making to help us in our work of attending the sick and wounded who come to this land of ours, and I thank you for the kindness expressed and for the pleasure afforded by the parcel I have received.

Wishing you and your Society every success in the good work you are conducting. I remain,

Yours sincerely,
SERGT. R. M. PARKER

Jan. 9, 1917, Somewhere in France.
To Ladies Patriotic Society, Dunsford:

My Dear Miss Wilson.—Pardon pencil, work and I'm short of ink down up our ink supply, so we are reduced to pencils. Anything frazzle around there must excuse me.

I received your card to say that you had forwarded a Xmas box to me. I have been awaiting its arrival with much anticipation, but now I am sorry to say the anticipation has changed to misgiving, as it has not yet arrived. And I note your card is dated Dec. 23rd. But I have not given up hope of getting it yet, as I am sure a parcel from the Dunsford ladies will contain something good.

I am sure the good of you all at home to remember us out here. The task is not so arduous when we feel that it is not a case of "out of sight, out of mind." The dear ladies of Canada are doing their best as well as they can for those who are fighting for our here. We are all proud of you, and your efforts at home, and you have reason to be proud of Canada's boys out here. The British people are proud of the Canadians, and the incomparable French troops and French people are proud of them. We are a happy family of French people and have been for several months and they cannot do too much for us. We have a lively and friendly game, and we get on magnificently with them.

Just another word before I close, I don't think you will overlook it, but when so much attention is paid to the boys in the fighting line, you might possible forget those who have returned wounded or incapacitated, broken in health or body or mind. These are the ones to whom you must extend your sympathy and attention. They have been through hell, surely and have suffered. Some of the results of which have been painful. Now we ask is to return sound in health and limb, but for our broken and wounded comrades, we do hope you will give them every help and comfort possible.

One thing only to see our men at work to realize how very wonderful they really are, never a job so dangerous that they do not readily undertake. It is an honor to command such men.

I hope you all are happy and prosperous New Year, I am, dear ladies,

Yours very truly,
W. B. HUNTER, Major
29th Canadians, C.E.F.

GREATEST MOMENTS OF MODERN HISTORY

London, March 1.—In an interview today, D. Thomas Curtin, who spent ten months in Germany, made the following statement to The Standard:

At the meeting of March — the conference with the Kaiser and the assassinat of Tirpitz—Tirpitz had demanded that unrestricted submarine warfare be waged to accomplish the final thrust into Holland in order to give Germany an unbroken coast line for operations. When he left the meeting of the Reichstag approached Admiral Von Capelle, and informed him that if unrestricted submarine warfare were not immediately declared "This war is lasting too long," he declared to me in great satisfaction, "the Kaiser's most glorious fault is about to be committed." Capelle, who was to say him, we will wreck the Chancellor at all costs. He was right in the end, for by order is to publish again, and this time enforce, the decree of February 4, 1915, declaring all waters to keep out of the submarine zone."

"But, according to the 'Sussex Ultimatum,' that will cause a break with the United States," I said.

"BRITAIN THE KEYSTONE."

"We cannot let that deter us," he said, "for Britain is the keystone of our enemies. If she falls, they all fall. We must attack her where she is vulnerable. We must starve her out. As for America, we have little to fear from her. In the first place, although she has many fine ocean liners and part in the carrying trade to England, we can thus refrain from sinking them—we have now naturally should not proclaim this.

"In the second place, if America does declare war on Germany, we would have little effect. This war will be over before she can organize after the manner of Great Britain. Herr Helfferich (former Minister of Finance and now Vice-Chancellor) feels that we should do everything possible to keep America out, inasmuch as thereby we shall be in a better position to dictate the financial treaties after the war. Herr Helfferich addressed a meeting of the meeting at Great Headquarters at the time of the Sussex Crisis. But our duty to ourselves is to win the war. If we starve out England we win, no matter how enemies we have. If we fail, another enemy, even the United States, would not make our defeat more thorough. We are justified, for our existence is at stake. Either we starve Great Britain or Great Britain starves her. The first duty of this country is to realize the situation clearly, and then to take every measure, including self-denial, to cope with it. If that is done, Germany will be victorious beyond the distance of declaire defeat.

SEEING THE INSTRUCTORS

Muskoiry Instructor (to recruit who insists on gazing at him)—Why don't you look where you're going?

Recruit—Please, sergeant, which are the others?—London Opinion.

VALUABLE TRAITS

"A parrot is usually obstinate and aggressive."

"That's all right. Those qualities make him the hardest kind of a fighter when he changes his mind."—Washington Star.

Soon our Clothing Section will be moving into its new quarters—the new addition on Kent Street. Many lines are being offered at special prices now to clear before moving time.

Men's Underwear 79c.

Men's medium weight underwear for the milder days. We are showing a fine union garment, flat knit, with a brushed back. This is a splendid garment for people with sensitive skin. All sizes
Per garment..... **79c**

Men's Night Shirts

A splendid night shirt in good quality fancy striped shaker, made in good generous sizes and all sizes from 14½ to 17½. Your choice, each **75c**

Men's Fur and Fur-lined Coats

All our Men's fur and fur-lined Coats are being cleared at special reduced prices. Now is the opportune time to purchase a coat for next season. Make an early choice.

Men's Work Shirts

A splendid blue drill work shirt, very seam double stitched, extension collar band, a good generous size, 14½ to 16½. Very special, ea. **75c**

FANCY PEAS

At the high prices we are paying we think it would pay you to sow a few acres. Drop in at office and talk it over with us.

Those who have already planted our seeds can call and get their seed at any time as it is now ready.

We have still some of that Pea Chop for sale.

JAS. M. SQUIER & SON
SQUIER & FLAVELLE

Sale Mar. 17,'17

SEVEN MONTHS' CREDIT

35 head of choice cattle of all kinds.

35 young cows, all guaranteed in calf.

7 choice Holsteins, all under seven.

4 springers, all due inside of two weeks.

2 Jerseys, rising three, due March 20th.

1 Jersey 7 years old, due March 26th.

13 Ayrshire crossed with Holstein, all cows.

15 grass cattle expected, under two.

6 calves, one year old, good condition.

6 horses, workers and drivers, consigned.

4 horse blankets, too good to sell.

2 sets single harness, double and stitched.

2 dozen rawhide whips, new.

50 halters expected, second hand.

1 set bobsleighs expected, second hand.

1 standard bred filly to be sold. Pedigree to go to Ked.

TERMS

Seven months' credit on cows and sixty days on horses will be given parties furnishing approved joint notes. A discount of 7 per cent. will be allowed on credit amounts, $15 and under cash.

W. A. FANNING, Prop. G. JACKSON, Auct.

C.P.R. TRAIN WRECK NEAR TRENTON

Belleville, March 6th.—When the eastbound C.P.R. passenger train left here at 12.26 p. m. today, was about two miles west of Trenton, four coaches left the rails, three of them rolling over, remaining partly on the track. About twenty passengers were injured, for most of the coaches were well filled, the majority of the injuries being about the head and hands, due to glass. Trenton doctors at once went to the scene and bandaged up the wounds of the passengers.

It was not until four o'clock this afternoon, that the train reached this city with most of the injured on board. Five were removed from the coaches at the station and taken to Belleville Hospital. They were: Chief Mechanic Ronalison of the C.P.R., who was on his way to Smith's Falls; Mr. Kirk of Millwaukee, Mr. Jordan, A. E. Stone and C. Merrill, the latter being Toronto men.

Mr. Ronalison has a bad fracture of one arm and injuries to one shoulder, while Mr. Kirk had a leg broken. The injuries of the other three were about the head and face, but are not very serious. The rest of the injured proceeded on their way.

At the time of the accident the train was some minutes late, and was running at good speed. The coaches were badly wrecked. The cause of the accident is given as a broken rail or a run-off. The engine, tender and baggage car kept the rails, as did the rear end of the train.

QUITE TOUCHY

"Yer not workin' Dinny? Are yez out of a job?"

"Shure, the boss discharged me yesterday and I'm out of a job."

"Aw, go on! Yer too sensitive!"

LOWEST POSSIBLE

"I don't think I deserve zero on this examination," said the pupil, as he took his geometry paper.

"No, I do not think so either, John, but that was the lowest I could give you" said the teacher.—The Christian Herald.

FARMERS NOTICE!

The Academy presents an up to date photo play program of

Dramas and Comedies

Every Saturday Afternoon

ADMISSION — 10c

LINDSAY MARKETS

Lindsay, March 9th.

GRAIN QUOTATIONS

Bran—$2.00
Barley—$1.10.
Buckwheat—$1.30.
Oats—63c.
Rye—$1.20.
Goose wheat—$1.60.
Wheat, spring—$1.65.
Wheat, fall—$1.78.
Shorts—$2.20.
Rolled oats—$4.00.
Flour, best Manitoba—$5.10.
Flour, best pastry—$4.55.

PRODUCE PRICES

Eggs—40c.
Dairy butter—38c—40c.
Potatoes—$3—$3.10 a bag.

CATTLE PRICES

Cattle—$7—$9.
Hogs—$14.25—$14.75.
Lambs—$14.
Sheep—$7.50—$9.50.
Hides—$14—$16.
Wool, unwashed—36c—37c.
Wool, washed—44c—47c.

RETAIL PRODUCE MARKET

Following prices are being charged by Lindsay retailers to the consumer:—
Butter—40c—45c.
Creamery—48c.
Eggs, strictly fresh—42c—45c.
Potatoes—70c ph; $4.20 bag.

LINDSAY FARMERS' MARKET.

Following prices were received by farmers on sale at the Market Hall, Lindsay, March 9th.
Eggs, strictly fresh—45c.
Butter—40c.
Chicks—26c—28c.
Ducklings—28c.
Hens—15c—18c.
Geese—22c—25c.
Turkeys—30c—40c.
Cream—40c qt.
Potatoes—$3.00 bag.
Hay—$14.
Hogs—$14.25.
Straw—$5 load.
Cattle—$8—$10.

FOR SALE

FARM FOR SALE—Lot 18, con. 5, Eldon, 200 acres; 150 cultivated, balance timber and pasture. New barn, stone foundation; good house and buildings. Plenty of water. Close to school and market; rural mail. A good opportunity to secure a home. Also one 3 year old registrable price. Apply to Murdock Campbell, R. R. No. 5, Woodville, Ont.

WANTED

APPRENTICES WANTED — Millinery apprentices wanted at once. Good wages. Apply Miss Mitchell, Millinery Parlors, Kent-st.

AUCTION SALE NOTICE

SATURDAY, MARCH 10. — Credit sale of farm stock and implements, the property of Herbert Brick, Butler House yards. Sale at one o'clock. Joseph Gerrow, auctioneer.

TUESDAY, MARCH 13 — Farm stock and implements, the property of James West, lot 5, con. 7, Fenelon, 4 miles S. of Lindsay. G. C. Jackson, auctioneer.

BROWN'S MUSIC STORE sells pianos at $200 and up with 7 different makes from which to select. Also has number of very cheap pianos and all other kinds of musical instruments together with books and music. Issuer of every class. Repairs and orders for goods promptly attended to.

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- Trombone For Sale—$20.00.
- Trombone, 8ft; trombone case, also beginners book of instruction, all for $20.00. Apply Box 387, Lindsay.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 56, Chapter 121, of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, that all persons having claims against the estate of Mary Ann Leary, late of the Township of Somerville in the County of Victoria, a married woman deceased, who died on or about the fifteenth day of January, 1917, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned solicitors for the executors of the will of the said deceased, on or before the twelfth day of March, 1917, their names, addresses and descriptions with full particulars of their claims duly verified and the nature of the security, if any, held by them. And further, take notice that after the said last mentioned day of March, 1917, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received, and they will not be liable for the proceeds of the said estate or assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they had no notice at the time of distribution.

Dated at Lindsay, this 20th day of February, 1917.

MOORE & JACKSON,
Solicitors for the Executors.

The Post's Want Advts. pay—Try one.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

FEBRUARY 6th

Toronto Cattle Market

Choice weighty steers	$10.75	$11.50
do. medium	10.25	10.60
Butchers', choice handy	10.00	10.40
do. good	9.50	10.00
do. medium	8.90	9.40
do. common	8.00	8.00
Butchers' choice cows	8.50	9.25
do. good	8.00	8.50
do. medium	6.90	7.60
Butchers' bulls, choice	8.00	9.00
do. good	6.75	7.50
do. medium	5.75	6.50
do. bologna	5.00	5.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	8.50	9.00
do. med., 700 to 800	7.25	8.00
Stockers, 500 to 800 lbs.	6.75	7.50
Cutters	5.25	5.75
Canners	4.00	5.00
Milkers, good to choice	85.00	105.00
do. com. and med.	60.00	85.00
Springers	65.00	115.00
Calves, veal, choice	12.50	13.50
do. medium	9.00	12.00
do. common	6.00	7.00
do. grass	5.00	6.00
do. heavy fat	7.50	8.00
Spring lambs, choice	13.50	14.00
do. culls	9.00	11.50
Sheep, ewes, light	7.50	8.50
do. heavy and bucks	6.50	7.50
do. culls	4.50	5.50
Hogs, weighed off cars	15.25	15.40
Springers, choice	15.00	15.25
do. f.o.b. country	14.25	00.00

Toronto Grain Markets

Manitoba wheat—Track, bay ports, No. 1 northern, $2.07½; No. 2 northern, $2.04½; No. 3 northern, $2.01½; No. 4 wheat, $1.87; all-rail wheat delivered Montreal freights, No. 1 northern, $2.05.

Ontario oats—All rail, delivered, on route, C.P.R. points only, No. 2 C.W., 74½c; No. 3 C.W., 71½c; extra No. 1 feed, 71½c to 72½c; No. 1 feed, 71½c to 72½c.

American corn—No. 3 yellow, $1.21, subject to exchange.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, $1.83 to $1.86, according to freight outside; No. 3 winter, $1.81 to $1.83.

Ontario oats—According to freights outside; No. 2 white, 66c to 67c; No. 3 white, 64c to 65c.

Peas—No. 2, $2.16.

Barley—Malting, $1.22 to $1.24.

Buckwheat—$1.25.

Rye—No. 2, new, $1.41 to $1.43.

Manitoba flour—Prices are in cotton bags, $9.70; seconds, in jute bags, $9.20; strong bakers', in jute, $8.80, Toronto.

Ontario flour—Winter, new, track, Toronto, prompt shipment, according to sample, $7.65, in jute bags, prices for export grade, bulk, seaboard.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered, Montreal freights: Shorts, $42; bran, $38; good feed flour, per bag, $2.50 to $2.60.

Hay—Track, Toronto, extra, No. 2, $13 to $13.50; No. 1, $12 to $12.50; mixed, $10 to $11.

Cheese—Old cuts, carlots, per bag of 20 lbs., $2.25; small lots, $3.40. Winder to Montreal freights, $3.90. In carlots, $4.15 in small lots.

Wholesale Produce

Toronto wholesale prices to the trade.

Eggs—

New-laid, cartons	$ .43	to $ .45
do. ex-cartons	.41	.42

Butter—

Creamery prints, fresh	.43	.46
Creamery prints, storage	.43	.44
Creamery solids	.42	.45
Choice dairy prints	.38	.39
Ordinary dairy prints	.37	.38
Bakers'	.31	.33
Cheese—Twins, large, 24½c; twins, 25c; June, large, 27½c to 27½c; twins, 27½c to 27¾c.

Poultry— Dressed

Spring chickens, lb.	23c to 25c
Old fowl, lb.	20c to 22c
Geese, lb.	18c 21c
Ducks, lb.	22c 24c

Live Poultry—

Turkeys, if fat	24c 25c
Fowl, if fat	24c 25c
Chickens, ordinary	22c 23c
Fowl, ordinary	22c 23c

Beans—Japans, hand picked, $6.25; prime, $5.75; Canadian, hand picked, bushel, $7.35; prime, $6.75. Imported Canadian small lots, $7.60 per 90-lb. bag.

East Buffalo Cattle

Cattle—Receipts, 200; active and higher; shipping steers, $8.50 to $10.50; butchers, $7.25 to $9.50; heifers, $6 to $9.75; cows, $4.50 to $8.75; bulls, $6 to $8.50; stockers and feeders, $6.00 to $8; fresh cows and springers, active and steady, $60 to $110.

Veals—Receipts, 500; active; $5 to $14.50; few at $14.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,600; active; heavy, $14.70 to $14.75; one load, $14.75; mixed, $14.70 to $14.75; yorkers, $14.70 to $14.75; light, $13.50 to $14; pigs, $13 to $13.50; roughs, $12.25 to $12.50; stags, $11 to $12.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3,000; active; lambs, $13 to $14.75, yearlings, $11.50; wethers, $11 to $11.50; ewes, $6 to $13.75; mixed sheep, $11.75 to $14.

Meats—Wholesale

Toronto wholesale houses are quoting prices made as follows:

Beef, forequarters	$13.00	to $15.00
Beef, hindquarters	18.00	22.00
Carcass, choice	15.50	17.00
Carcass, good	14.50	15.50
Veals, common	9.50	11.50
do. medium	12.50	14.50
do. prime	17.00	18.00
Heavy hogs	15.50	16.00
Shop hogs	15.50	16.00
Mixed hogs	19.00	20.00
Sows, light	16.00	17.00
Sows, heavy	14.00	15.00
Lambs, yearling	21.00	22.00
Spring lambs, each	11.00	14.00

Chicago Livestock

Cattle—Receipts, 14,000; market strong; beeves, $8.15 to $12.10; stockers and feeders, $6.40 to $8.75; cows and heifers, $5.40 to $10.35; calves, $8 to $11.

Hogs—Receipts, 42,000; market firm; 5c to 8c higher; light, $13.45 to $14.25; mixed, $13.85 to $14.30; heavy, $13.80 to $14.05; rough, $13.80 to $13.95; pigs, $10.50 to $12.75; bulk of sales, $14 to $14.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; market strong; bulk; native, $9.25 to $14.75.

ADVERTISE IN THE POST

OBITUARY

MRS. JANE ENGLISH

At Union Creek, on Tuesday March 6th, 1917, he of the oldest and most respected residents of Ontway, in the person of Mrs. Jane English, aged 74 years, 7 months, 26 days.

The funeral will take place from her late home on Thursday at 2.30 p. m. for interment at Burnt River cemetery.

MRS. S. NOBLE

Oakwood, March 4.—We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Simeon Noble, which took place at her home early Tuesday morning, March 6th at the age of 58 years. Besides her husband she leaves three children, and an infant one week old, who will miss her loving care, besides a large circle of friends to mourn her loss. The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon and after lengthy service will be laid to rest in the Christian Cemetery, Little Britain.

JOHN KIMBLE

Bobcaygeon, March 8.— Mr. John Kimble, an aged resident, passed away on Monday last. He was born in England and while quite a young man settled here. Three sons, Ross, Alfred and Arthur, all resident in the vicinity, survive him. Two sons predeceased him, one of whom, Guy, it will be remembered, was killed in the early days of the European war. The funeral was largely attended by relatives and friends.

MRS. D. LEE.

Oakwood, March 4.—The sudden death of Mrs. Daniel Lee, Jr., of Hyde Valley, Sask., took place on Thursday at Little Manitou, Sask. Mrs. Lee, who resides some was His Perrin, was a resident of our neighborhood before her marriage to Mr. Daniel Lee, some ago. Besides her husband she leaves three children, besides brothers and sisters to mourn their loss. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Alex Perrin, to the Methodist church and cemetery. The bereaved family is in their father, mother and one sister in the west, and will have also the sincere sympathy of the entire community in their hour of sorrow and bereavement.

HYMENEAL

EARLE—WOODS

A quiet wedding took place on Wednesday, Feb. 28th at the residence of the bride's parents, Springville, when Miss Alma Emmerette eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Woods, was married to James Richard Earle, of Ida. The ceremony was conducted by the pastor of the Springville Methodist church. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a dainty white silk crepe de chene with lace trimming. Miss Wood, sister of the bride, who was bridesmaid, was dressed in white crepe. Mr. Russell Earle supported the groom. Miss Queenie Macbeth of Peterborough played the wedding march and during the signing of the register Miss Mary Southam, of Springville, sang very sweetly "Because."

The relatives assembled to witness the ceremony, besides brothers and sisters of the bride, were Mrs. Earle, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McLean, Trenton; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wood, Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wood, Peterboro; Mr. T. Ivey, and daughter, Campbellford; Mrs. May Ivey, Peterboro; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crawford, Campbellford; Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford, Hamilton; Mr. Alex. Earle, Cremore; Mr. H. Earle, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Earle, Ida; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Earle, St. John, N. B.; Mrs. E. J. Wright, Ida, and many others. Beautiful presents received show the esteem in which the young couple are held. One of the gifts was a handsome mahogany clock, a token of appreciation from the Methodist congregation. The bride has been organist for some time. The happy couple left on the afternoon train for a trip to Niagara Falls, St. Catharines, Hamilton and Toronto, bearing with them the best wishes of a host of friends.

The groom was born and lived in Cameron until a few years ago, when he started farming on a farm in the township of Ida. He and his family are well known in Lindsay.

The wedding guests departed at 12 p.m. after unanimously voting Mr. and Mrs. Wood the best and jolliest of entertainers for the very enjoyable time.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill wish to express their thanks to friends and neighbors for their kindness and assistance in the hour of sad bereavement.

STRONG PROOF

She—They must be engaged. That is her fourth dance with him this evening.

He—That's no sign.

She—Oh, yes it is; we don't know how she dances.—Penn. State Froth.

LISTENING ON PHONES PUNISHABLE

(From Toronto's Daily.)

Listening in party telephone lines and repeating the conversation thus overheard is to be a punishable offence, according to legislation to amend the Ontario Telephone Act introduced by Hon. I. B. Lucas yesterday. The penalty for listening and repeating telephone conversations intended for others will apply to telephone operators alsoif he sits.

Other parts of the amendment apply to Ontario representation on the tribunal to be formed by the Dominion between Dominion-regulated Bell Telephone Company and local companies; and that no such proprietorial and Dominion company shall amalgamate without the consent of the provincial railway board.

NEW TOWN HALL OPENED AT ORILLIA

Orillia, March 5. — Orillia's new city hall was formally opened this evening when the council met in the new chambers for the first time. Many of the patriotic societies in the district were present and prayer were conducted by Rev. F. E. Malott, B.D., pastor of the Methodist church. Mr. Malott also delivered a brief address. Capt. J. J. Hartt, M. P. P., presented the corporation with a large framed photograph of the 177th (Simcoe) Battalion, shortly to leave for overseas service. Mayor Ardagh accepted the gift on behalf of the city. He viewed the progress of the town during the past fifty years. Orillia fairly began the development of its water powers 21st February, 1867. It was fitting, he said, that its semicentennial should be celebrated by the opening of the new City Hall.

The new building has been erected at a cost of $100,000, not including the value of the old walls, which remained—Sir Sandford Fleming's birthplace—and the old market. There are 1st rooms in the rear. The upper story will be used as an Opera House, etc. The building is being built by Messrs. Gilmour & Hughes, of Hamilton. The building is largely fireproof in construction, and was built from plans prepared by Burke, Horwood & White, of Toronto.

HUNS REPAIRED BRITISH WIRES

London, March 4.—Barbed wire was once looked upon as an invention of the devil by attackers out at the front, but now it is a friend. Time has passed. Germany's great preparations for wire defences have proved of immense benefit to the British rather than to the British forces in many cases and in one instance provided a whole battalion with ground sodden jokes of the Somme fighting. The story was told this week by officers home on leave.

It might be explained that Germany before the war had not been satisfied with the usual wooden stakes and barbed wire for the defence of their trenchments. German ingenuity had devised screw pickets with the strand loops for stringing the wire and a corkscrew end which allowed of its being screwed into the ground noiselessly. Sooner or later England adopted the same devices, but Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson, of Bath, had repaired the wires out in no man's land were wont to find their way about in the dark or feeling the posts and acting accordingly.

HAILED AS A BLESSING

When the Germans saw their appearance they were hailed as a blessing by the 420th Field Company of Engineers, which was responsible for the repairs. He told his secretary-typist to get the communications through at once after reports to the infantry officer in charge groped out in the darkness with Billie worked back to Armstrong.

"What do you make of it?" he said to the sergeant.

"I don't know, sir; better wait and see what happens."

After a few seconds Armstrong jerked his rifle forward with "What's that?" and Sapper Bellis with a shrieked "Germans, sir, Germans."

"They're Uns, sir, and they've repaired our wires," he explained to Lieut. Bills, and in a giggle of scorn the line back of the officer and the town council of Ontway, on the subject of the City of Lindsay.

COMMUNICATION TRENCH NEAR

"It's our line all right," said Bellis, "for the communication trench we came through isn't thirty yards on."

Show me," commanded Bills, creeping forward with the sapper. They were soon close to a pile of pickets thrown on the ground, and

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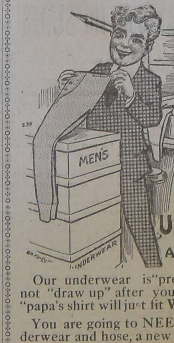

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METHODS FOR UTILIZING VACANT LOTS

From the experience gained in several cities in the United States during the past few years in utilizing vacant lots for garden purposes, the following methods are suggested for those who have not yet undertaken this work.

As organization should be formed, on the executive committee of which are at least two men or women, who are enthusiastic and will be willing to devote some time to looking after the preparation of the land and the planting of the seeds.

2. Owners of vacant land should be invited to offer such property for garden purposes.

3. Assuming that a fairly large number of lots have been offered by their owners, it should be widely advertised that one of these be available to any citizen who will be willing to pay $1, experience having shown that all classes in the community are interested in this work.

4. It has been learned by experience that it is important for the organization to at least plough and harrow the land for the plot holders the early year. Few persons who have not done any gardening before can be induced to prepare land for seed sowing on their own initiative.

5. There are four methods by which land may be raised to prepare the plant:

(a) By an appeal to wealthy citizens for contributions.

(b) By a grant from the city or town council, if necessary, on the understanding that the money will be returned by the plot holders when they have harvested their first crop.

(c) The city or town council might appoint a committee to carry out such work, and charge the plot holders for the work.

(d) By a movement of this kind may have at least the greater sympathy of the civic officials, it would with his fingers, Billie felt the unmistakable German construction of the corkscrew end.

Straight ahead the wires neatly repaired, new stakes driven in and everything in ship shape, while several miles back of the British lines a tired party of bewildered Germans questioned each other as to how it all happened.

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Ploughing and planting plot holder a small amount, for preparing the plot for him.

The best method is the one which is likely to be most satisfactory for most cities and towns and is the one recommended here.

For information in regard to rules or by-laws the reader is referred to the account of the work of the several organizations in Canada referred to in a bulletin being printed by the Dominion Commissioner, as in it information will be found sufficient suggestions to enable by-laws to be drawn up for particular needs.

BOY SCOUTS CAN HELP

The Boy Scouts can be made very useful in encouraging garden making and the use of vacant lots. In Ottawa they were employed in 1915 by the Public Health Committee of the Local Council of Women in delivering vegetable seeds which had been donated for the purpose of encouraging the poorer people to make gardens. Seed can be purchased in bulk at a cheaper rate than in packages and can be put up in packages by the Scouts. The Scouts can also deliver to customers at suitable gardening. This personal touch did much, it is believed, to decide which persons would have a garden. It is doubt before, as many people would accept pamphlets if brought to them, who would not take the trouble to get them themselves.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF WAR WORK.

The Saturday Sewers gratefully acknowledge the following contributions:

1. Norland Sewing Circle, 21 sheets.
2. Franklin Thursday Sewers, 50 pillow slips, 161 handkerchiefs, 26 towels, 24 mouth wipes, 10 shirts, 12 prs. socks, 1 bandage.
3. Cambray Ladies' Aid, 24 hospital shirts, 48 T bandages, 24 p. p. bags, 24 bed covers, 36 triangles, 72 capelines, 6 many-tailed bandages, 24 arm slits, 18 helpless shirts, 24 slings, 24 sox.
4. Linden Valley W. I., 3 doz. vermin suits, 1 doz. pyjamas, 18 h.w.b. covers.
5. Cameron W. I., 6 triangles, 8 surgical shirts, 12 towels, 18 pillow cases.

NEWLY WED, APPARENTLY

Doctor—You must give up all sweet things.

Patient—Good heavens, doctor! Must I divorce my wife?

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FORMER RESIDENT OF BOSCAYGEON DECORATED BY FRENCH GOVT.

Boscaygeon, March 1.—Lieut. Alex. and Mrs. Ross, of Windsor, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bottom over the week end. Lieut. Ross was a former employee of Mr. Bottom, but is now with the Bell Telephone Co. since leaving this calm retreat. Lieut. Ross has seen some stirring times. Last May he enlisted and in a few weeks was at the battle front in France and did his bit for King and Country at the Somme, having been in that engagement. He also gives a vivid picture of life in the front line trenches, and tells of the tremendous preparation already made for the Spring campaign, which he expects will not be delayed. He has no doubt the allies of a bunch of Fritz Ross has been installed home and expects an honorable discharge. Two nephews of his, sons of Mrs. Wm. Ross, of Vankoughnet, but a former resident here, are also wearing the King's uniform. Allan has been some time in France as a dispatch rider and has been decorated by the French Government for saving the lives of a bunch of Frenchmen and Douglas, a student in medicine at McGill University, is either in England or crossing the ocean.

JAPAN WOULD NOT BE PARTY TO AN ALLIANCE WITH HUNS

Washington, March 1.—The idea that Japan would for a moment consider the proposal to desert her alliance with the Entente Powers, as outlined in the telegram sent out by the German Foreign Office to the German Minister at Mexico City, made the latter attempt to do nothing of joining with Germany in a war on the United States, is considered utterly preposterous in both Japanese and British official circles.

The Japanese Embassy issued an official statement to-day designed to help set at rest any uneasiness about Japanese relations which might have been aroused by the publication of the attempted German intrigue.

"With regard to the alleged German attempt at inducing Japan and Mexico to make war on the United States," it read, "made public in the press this morning, it is unnecessary, while lacking information as to whether such invention ever reached Tokio, desires to state emphatically that any invitation of this sort would in no circumstance be entertained by the Japanese Government, which is in entire accord and in close relations with the allied powers on account of formal agreements and of common enemy, and moreover, whose friendship with the United States is every day growing in sincerity and cordiality."

MR. WILSON CONFIRMS STORY

In response to a request from the Senate, President Wilson to-night transmitted a report from Secretary of State Lansing, saying the published story of Foreign Minister Von Zimmerman's note to the German Minister at Mexico City directing an attempt to involve Japan and Mexico against the United States in case of war was authentic, that it came into the possession of the United States during the recent submarine controversy, that it was sent by the way of the Mexican capital, and that in his opinion it was incompatible with the public interest for any further information to the Senate at present.

NOT AFRAID OF MEXICO.

Secretary of War Baker in an earlier in the day authorized this statement:

"We do not believe that Japan had any knowledge of the fact that she would consider any proposition made by an enemy.

As to Mexico, the Secretary said: "We have confidence that Mexico City will be a party to any agreement in view of the friendly relations existing between the Governments of the de facto Government of Mexico."

FOR PLOTTER ARRESTED.

Nogales, Ariz., March 1.—A department of Justice agent seized here to-day a trunk belonging to W. H. Hopkins, who is alleged to be a former German army officer and who escaped last July from Federal officers after he had been arrested and held in connection with an alleged plot to instigate uprisings from the United States into Mexico.

$52.00 FOR A BARREL OF SUGAR

New York, March 2.—Because of the submarine risks a barrel of sugar shipped in haste to-day to Mrs. Henry Clews, jr., in Paris, which cost $34 at the refinery, will cost $28 more in shipping charges and insurance before it gets to her.

Owing to the scarcity of sugar for civilians in France, and the poor grade sold, Mrs. Clews had a barrel ordered from New York by express. It weighs nearly 400 pounds, and was purchased at nearly six cents a pound. On forwarding Mrs. Clews must pay $1 and $7 more for insurance to guarantee the safe arrival of the barrel in France. The total cost of the shipment will be $62 or approximately 12 cents a pound. Mrs. Clews was formerly the wife of Robert Goelet, and before her marriage to him was Miss Elsie Jones of Philadelphia. She has been living in Paris for over a year.

NO LIKELIHOOD OF COMPULSION

Ottawa, Ont., March 5.—Developments are expected this week, or soon after, in regard to the new plans of militia mobilization being worked out by the Department of Militia. In official circles today there is very little to support the story that the Militia Act is to be compulsorized in all its compulsory features. The plan now being perfected, and which has already been outlined, must go to the Militia Council, from it to the Government and then to the Prime Minister. The initial steps are not being taken, but the proposal is far from finality and subject to change until it reaches that stage. Every one does not see eye to eye on such problems as are involved.

DEMAND CONSCRIPTION OF WEALTH FIRST

Toronto, March 2.—Two resolutions were unanimously passed by the convention of the United Farmers of Ontario yesterday afternoon. One of the resolutions declared in favor of the conscription of men for battle while wealth was left exempt. "It is a glaring injustice," it continued, "that Canada's manhood should be called on to surrender their boys while plutocrats fattened on special privileges and war orders."

CHEERS AND JEERS GREET HUGHES' NAME

(From Monday's Daily.)

Globe: That Sir Sam Hughes' popularity has dwindled was apparent in Massey Hall last night to Liberals. When Mr. P. J. Mulqueen, President of the Sportsman's Patriotic Association, announced that the Right Honorable Minister of Militia would be the principal speaker at the 208th Battalion recruiting meeting, the applause there was loud applause, mingled with jeers and hissing. The evening meeting will be for men only, but ladies accompanied by escorts will be allowed at the afternoon meeting.

55,947 HOME PLOTS

In 1912 there were 25 school fairs held in Ontario. The following figures for 1916 supplied by the Ontario Department of Agriculture, show the wonderful progress that has been made: Number of fairs held, 275; schools taking part, 2,632; pupils, 90,029; attendance of children, 82,029; of adults, 95,217; entries, 113,265; number of home plots, 55,947.

ELECTRIC ROAD FROM COBOCONK

(From Friday's Daily.)

Minden Echo:—Several delegates from this district will probably visit Toronto in the near future, in the interest of the proposed electric railway from Coboconk. They will be joined by representative men from Norland, Lindsay and other points. A date will be arranged by one at the head of affairs in Lindsay.

OSHAWA HAD DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

Oshawa, March 1.—Mr. W. J. Trick's industry, known as the Oshawa Interior Fittings Works, was totally destroyed by fire this afternoon.

The fire started in the boilerroom about 5 o'clock, and got a good start before being detected. Owing to the contents of the building being mostly dry wood material the fire spread rapidly, and the building and contents were totally destroyed. The fire spread to the lumber yards, where a valuable piles of lumber was burned, and much of this was also destroyed. About one hundred workmen were employed at the works, and it was one of the busiest industries in town. Insurance overtime continual. Many of the workmen lost their tool outfits, some valued at over 200. Much valuable machinery was destroyed, also a large amount of the interior fittings for the new McLaughlin Motor Car Co. and the Oshawa Motor Co.'s new office buildings, which Mr. Trick is now erecting in Oshawa.

The loss is estimated at from 75,000 to $100,000, but, it is understood, is well insured.

RURAL MUNCIPALITIES WANT LEGISLATION

(From Thursday's Daily.)

A deputation, introduced by J. T. H. Regan, of South Wentworth, consisting of the reeve and solicitor of that township, interviewed Hon. W. H. Hoyle, Provincial Secretary Tuesday afternoon and asked that the bill for establishing a bureau of municipal affairs should include a clause which would provide means whereby rural municipalities adjoining cities and towns can be allowed the privilege of connecting up with projected waterworks or sewage systems of such cities and towns. Hon. W. D. McPherson told the deputation that the proposal could not be acted on at the present time.

DIFFICULTY OF COLLECTING TAXES

(From Thursday's Daily.)

A very interesting sidelight on the difficulty of collecting taxes is given in the annual financial statement of Revelstoke, B. C., by the mayor.

"When taking office this year," says Mayor McKinnon, "the council realized that in order to finance the city, the outstanding taxes, amounting to $70,793.09 had to be collected, and not to work a hardship on the taxpayers, the following policy was adopted, but with comparatively little success. It was found that more than one-half had to be taken, and that a tax sale was absolutely necessary and unavoidable. A tax sale was therefore held in October, 1915, the result that the 1913 and 1914 taxes were cleared, with a considerable percentage of the 1915 taxes. We regretted having to take this means of financing the city during the crisis, but it was the only door left open to a successful carrying on of the city's business. Another disagreeable task of the council was the collecting of water and light arrears, and very reluctantly we were forced to disconnect some of the services before collections could be made, but in face of the enormous times we were able to reduce the arrears by more than half."—Journal of Commerce.

SHOCKS

So many shocks have caused the mind
To fear the world is not aright,
To welcome any world indeed
That isn't caused by dynamite.
—Washington Star.

MILK VENDOR SOLD BOOZE ON THE SIDE

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Peterboro Examiner: Two milkmen figured in a liquor case in the police court this morning, with Inspector Stevenson presiding. Out of them had received a shipment of the stuff and his fellow milk vender detailed to take it for his own use. Hence he had a milk bottle filled with it and paid over the money. Hence the former was held on two charges of having liquor for sale and being drunk, and the latter charged of having liquor in his possession other than at his private residence. Both pleaded guilty. The case was accordingly remanded. The penalties that may be imposed aggregate over $400.

BOGUS BILLS WERE PASSED AT TORONTO

(From Thursday's Daily.)

The inexperience of a young woman clerk in the Bank of Ottawa, 37 Queen street west, Toronto Institution $2,000, and but little hope of recovering the money is held by the authorities, who say a man got away with it, the place of one of the bank's regular employes, who has enlisted. It appears that a well dressed stranger man walked into the bank last Saturday, approached the cashier's window and presented a cheque for $75, which was cashed over counter. Many bills of large denomination which he wished exchanged for smaller bills. He was given a number of $100 bills and asked to be genuine, and without hesitation the young woman turned the money over to the stranger, who left the bank. A few minutes later one of the officials of the bank noticed that the bills were counterfeited the bills, but they were fatile. It is believed that the same stranger was an American, who made good his escape to the United States without molestation.—Star.

WOMEN'S VOTE ACTS ARE SIMPLE

(From Thursday's Daily.)

The Ontario Government has accepted two bills, both introduced by J. W. Johnson, West Hastings, which will be the legislation asked to extend to women the right to vote in elections (provincial and municipal) elections. The first of Mr. Johnson's measures, which is entitled the Women's Legislative Franchise Act, and which gives the right t vote at elections for the Legislative Assembly, is very short and simple. It merely amends the Ontario Election Act and the Manhood Suffrage Registration Act, so that wherever the word "male" or "man" appears, the word "person" is inserted instead.

Mr. Johnson's other bill to extend the franchise to women in municipal elections, is entitled the Women's Municipal Franchise Act. It amends the Municipal Act by striking ut the words "male, widow or unmarried woman, therever they occur, and at the present time have voting qualifications, and making the Act general in its application to the provisions of section 11 of section 57 of the Assessment Act, substituting, therefore, the following provisions:

"Where a married woman is assessed in respect of real property, related for an amount sufficient to entitle her to vote at municipal elections, and during the time for voting is not entitled to vote instead of herself, she may file with the assessor, or if there is no such assessor, the municipality, before the date fixed for the return of the roll, a notice setting out the real property in which she has been assessed, and stating that she desires that her husband shall have the right to vote instead of herself, and the assessor or assessment commissioner shall thereupon enter upon the roll as an assessment for the husband instead of the wife."

The bill is further filed as provided by sub-section 13, a notice to the same effect may be filed with the clerk at any time allowed for appeals to the Court of Revision, and the Court of Revision shall, in compliance with such notice, and without further evidence direct the name of the husband to be entered on the roll as owner instead of the wife.

"In either case the husband shall be entitled to be entered up the voters' list as the owner of the property, and to vote."

SQUARE DEAL FOR AN AUSTRIAN

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Telegram:—When Joseph Gage used J. P. Bull, chief of police of Orillia, at Bellewith for false arrest, Gus Porter, K. C., M. P., is alleged to have used on behalf of the defence words that were prejudicial to a fair trial. Gage says that he is a Serbian. Mr. Porter is alleged to have referred to him as an enemy, and to have asked how much money the jury was going to allow him to be used against their countrymen. The jury allowed him $3.

Gage appealed from the verdict and the Appellate Division directed a new trial, Chief Justice R. M. Meredith expressing the hope that such improper proceedings as were sworn to at the first trial will never occur again in an Ontario court.

On the application of Gage, the Master in Chambers moved the venue of the new trial from Belleville to Whitby. This was reversed by Mr. Justice Masten. Gage then applied to Mr. Justice Riddell. He based his appeal from Mr. Justice Masten's decision sending the case for trial to Belleville.

Mr. Justice Riddell has to-day given judgment dismissing the application. He says that as to their affairs to which plaintiff's nationality may have been talked over by the people in the court room, and counters may be used as an influence of the remarks of a member of Parliament for one of the Hastings ridings, he decides:

"Matters of that kind die out. The people of this province are too much absorbed in their own affairs to be much long about such things, and I have no doubt that every impartial juryman here is or could be a general prejudice against the plaintiff in the county of Hastings, and shall not stigmatize the county of Hastings as not being able to find a jury which will give a fair trial and a square deal even to an Austrian."

H. S. White appeared and opposed the application, and J. B. Mackenzie appeared in favor of it.

ARCHBISHOP CONDEMNS MODERN FASHIONS

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Kingston Standard: In a recent pastoral letter read in all parts of the bishop of Kingston says: "I deem it my duty to once more admonish the clergy and faithful here that to approach the Sacraments in the modern style of dress would be not only fruitless, but sinful. Those who do so are guilty of a double offence; one of irreverence, the other of scandal, the former against the first commandment of God, the latter against the fifth commandment of God.

"Confessors who treat of this matter do not hesitate to affirm that women in this form of dress, who present themselves at the Holy Table are to be refused Holy Communion when the exposure is marked and notable."

EXODUS FROM CANADA HEAVY

Niagara Falls, N. Y., March 1.—According to a report just compiled by Fred Hall, the Immigration Commissioner of Immigration of District No. 4, comprising that portion of the Canadian frontier from the Detroit River, 72 per cent of the persons entering the United States at the different points on the border during the year 1916 were Canadian citizens.

During the year covered in the report there were 1,000 deportations for admission to the United States. Of this number only 73,093 were admitted, the rest being rejected for personalities. Of this number, the report shows that 37 of every hundred were Canadians. The annual report also throws countries, including citizens of the United States desirous of returning to this country.

In his report Commissioner Clark states that the influx during the present year keeps up at the same rate as during the latter months of 1916, when it was the heaviest of the year. Reasons given for this great influx from Canada include according to Commissioner Clark, fear of conscription, war conditions and more recently the newly enacted immigration law which becomes effective on May 1, next.

252ND BATTALION HONOURED BY LADY MACKENZIE AT KIRKFIELD

(From Saturday's Daily.)

The Patriotic Concert given at Kirkfield last evening under the auspices of the 252nd Battalion was most successful, Capt. Potts, O. C. B. Company being in charge. Pte. Schofield ably carried out at the movie machine, as also Lieut. Harry Morden at the organ. One of the striking features of the evening was the singing of the National airs by the school children presided over by Miss Mairs and Miss Mackay, of Kirkfield, also rendered vocal and instrumental numbers. Miss Mairs, of Toronto, who had in her party, Miss Mairs, Dominion Secretary of the "Girl Guides," honored the gathering by responding to the calls for encores of the evening and they further complimented by Miss Mairs delivering a most eloquent address. Capt. Potts also spoke during the evening and made a powerful appeal, his address being listened to with rapt attention. He was later followed by Lieut. Morden.

Miss Mairs' address dealt directly with the Girl Guide organization of Canada, a parrod for which aLdy Mackenzie was the active and enthusiastic leader having immediately formed in Kirkfield and for which purpose their official visit to Kirkfield had been primarily made. She emphasized the fact of there being in Canada to-day over 10,000 Girl Guides, these being busily performing each day of good deeds for and to others. This she stated was largely due to their enthusiastic leading the characters of our Canadian girlhood into the finer womanly qualities of truly noble womanhood and would have this beneficient result also on the future national life of our country. Miss Mairs said she had been most deeply impressed with the work of Capt. Potts and Lieut. Morden and the present day activities of the all imperative need would never be neglected, whilst there are of us our young men and our young women of to-day been Scouts and Guides in their "teen" period of their life command "Obey God and obey the King," was beautifully significant, and what the whole nation would be the better if indeed more confidence and more trustfulness that our immediate problems would be cared for. She also referred also to boys and teen girls coming promising and hopefully onward and in it not an inspiration to see one of us on sight to look at their refreshing enthusiasm and hopefulness. The future would may this day make of us indeed while our young men go boldly and gradly forth to fight for humanity's cause. Miss Mairs also referred also to the present day apathy of the Red Cross needs. Canada this year was only going to do half what she had done previously, simply because in our prosperity, as has been stated, we are drifting away reaching than the "Intermediate" stage. To-day we must arouse, awaken and strengthen our national patriotism and women must be more supporting to our recruiting officers' work. How indeed discouraging and trying the apparent lukewarmness is to each of them and may each and all forthwith in Kirkfield rally to their support. Miss Mairs stated she had been deeply touched with the appeal and she could only hope that of the young men of military fitness she could have the same glowing message to take back to Toronto but the boys and girls of Kirkfield were wide awake to a sense of their true christian duty to the State, and in the interests of Canada to-day realize as we never have before the all-present sense of our avail responsibilities in our country's crisis. How powerfully the officers of the 252nd Batt. have openly expressed the plain facts of the present crisis.

The pupils of the school then rendered rousingly "Keep the Home Fires Burning," during the running of the last film and every one thoroughly enjoyed deeply touched. Men and still more women left the hall, feeling that there to be echoed strikingly significant and the concert than came to a close by the singing of the National Anthem. All present pronounced the evening as being one of the most profitable and enjoyable ever attended.

At the Kirkfield Inn afterward a complimentary supper was given to the officers, Lady Mackenzie and her party and Miss Mairs presiding, and who also graciously pronounced the day as being one of the most delightful and profitable spent in her dear home town of Kirkfield.

At the Kirkfield Hall in the afternoon a most successful social evening was held, the Boy Scouts and girls of the school being in attendance. Miss Mairs, Dominion Secretary of the Girl Guides, delivered an eloquent address and Capt. Potts explained the organization of the "Patrols" in connection with the Girl Guides of Canada. Rev. Mr. Lindsay also spoke, as also Mr. Hayes, of Toronto and Capt. Potts. At 10 p. m., 252nd Battalion. Another delightful feature of the afternoon was the singing of the pupils of the school. Lieut. Morden presided at the organ. At all present to afternoon tea, her efforts resulting most successfully in the establishing of the desired "Patrol" at Kirkfield.

PURE MOLYBDENITE AT TORY HILL

(From Friday's Daily.)

Minden Echo:—Mr. Alex. Watson, of Toronto, has a gang of men opening up a claim on the Barrows property, at Tory Hill. The reports say they are turning out almost pure molybdenite. There are several other rich claims close to Tory Hill which we expect will be opened up as soon as weather permits. There have been several carloads of ore shipped from the Bradley mine already.

LADIES' SHOES ARE TOO HIGH

Hamilton, March 1.—Ald. J. H. Hodgson, chairman of the Board of Works, is urging the city's Special Food Commission, which has received authority to investigate the cause of high prices to petition the government to forbid the wear of high shoes by ladies. He claims that this is the direct cause of footwear being so extremely dear at present. Members of the commission agree with him, this, one declaring that his wife recently paid $18.50 for one pair of shoes for the coming Easter parade.

TEACHERS' YEAR ONLY 190 DAYS

According to a notice of the Ontario Department of Education, there are only 199 teaching days in 1917. Each day of closing school are: Easter holidays, April 6 to April 16, summer, June 29 to September 4th; Christmas, close December 21st.

FILL COAL BINS DURING THE SUMMER

Ottawa, March 4.—With a view to impressing upon the people of Canada the moral of the recent coal famine, and with to prevent a repetition of it next year, the Commission of Conservation is making a public appeal to all householders to order during the the coming summer months a sufficient coal supply to see them through next winter. A bulletin issued by the commission points out that one of the main factors in the individual shortages in the past winter during the most month has been the habit of ordering ton by ton during the winter months, thus throwing the peak of the load in regard to transportation and delivery at the wrong time. The bulletin points out that there is no reason certain to be other coal famines in the future and urges each householder to fill his bins during the summer with a sufficient supply to tide him over the winter.

STRUCK BY FALLING TREE.

John Langston, of Tory Hill, was taken to the Peterboro Hospital Wednesday, suffering from injuries to his shoulder. He was struck by a falling tree, while working in Bradley woods.

HIS FIRST GAME

She (a suffragette)—"You conceited meal I've no doubt that when you were little you'd tie pat on an air of superiority.

He—Well, you could hardly blame him for putting on something.

MINUS QUANTITY

"Well, Mary, what did you think of the pictures at the exhibition?"

"Oh, sir, there was a picture called, 'Two Dogs After Landseer,' but I was afraid to look at it for I couldn't see no Landseer!" —Cassell's Saturday Journal.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

It is the open season for Turkey in Mesopotamia.

The Turkey trot seems to be the popular dance along the Tigris.

When the women have votes the job of kissing the babies will be a more interesting episode.

So it is votes for women. They can be depended upon to exercise greater judgment in recording their votes than a whole lot of men.

"Kaiser Bill has got a chill," was flashed across the sea. But if John Bull barged "Chilly" Bill, how happy we would be.

While the British on the West front are trying to corner the Kaiser's son, the troops on the Tigris are striking out to Bagdad.

Judging from the attendance on the last two sessions of the Board of Trade, a little more ginger needs to be injected in order to ward off the undertaker.

Up at Hamilton the city council is considering memorializing the government to prohibit women from smoking high shoes. Man is a funny animal. He objects to high boots, but would gaze all day at short skirts.

The winning of a gold medal by a pupil of Alexandra School for Girls in addition with the province, is an achievement of which every friend of education in Lindsay should feel proud.

Over in Grand Forks, North Dakota, the people are greatly excited over the case of a girl who has been asleep since Christmas. That's nothing. President Wilson has been asleep longer than that.

The old McDonnell house is once more engaging the attention of the Board of Trade. The structure, if it remain in its present state, will look no worse than does the exterior of our chief municipal building.

A correspondent suggests that the need is not to tax cats, but to muzzle them at night. She thinks a longer muzzle needs a cat for company during the absence of so many desirable bachelors. Then why not fatten the bachelors?

The Township of Tiny, Simcoe County, are making a move to raise the dog tax in order to encourage sheep raising, and have asked Midland and other surrounding municipalities to assist them in practically putting a prohibitive tax upon dogs.

Some Conservative papers state that the recent election in British Columbia was not a victory for the Liberals, but for honesty in political life. Queer reasoning that, but it may serve as a balm for disappointed hopes.

SET THE EXAMPLE.

The call has gone out from the Government to produce more and practice thrift and economy. The Government should set the example by cutting out salaries paid to men who do nothing like the case of Victoria County, for instance, there is a man under pay as caretaker of a government institution which does not exist.

WOMEN'S VOTES AND POLL TAX.

The extension of the franchise to women in Ontario may mean an increase in revenue to many Ontario municipalities.

At the present time municipalities have the right to impose a poll tax of one dollar upon all men not otherwise taxed, and it is stated here with adult suffrage in force municipalities may be given the right to extend the poll tax to cover women as well.

The point has not been decided by the Government, having other debatable matters before it, but the right of a man to vote in future on his wife's property qualification.

PATRIOTIC SHERBROOKE IN THE GRIP OF TRUSTS.

According to information given out at Ottawa, Canada to a very large extent is under the heel of combination influence in regard to the necessaries of life. Domestic trade is largely throttled by numbers of trade agreements, but there are retail merchants, from coast to coast, bound hand and foot by agreements to unlimited accordingly, and has to pay the price demanded under boycotting and price agreements and penalties. This has been discovered as a result of the investigations which have been going on under the Combines and Trade Act, and the cost of living regulations.

According to the Municipal Journal, the business of Sherbrooke, Quebec, for some little time have been going to bed early, so that more power which is saved by the power plants can be supplied to the local works busy on munitions. The street lights, it seems, are put out daily in the evening for the same reason. The ratepayers of this progressive municipality will no doubt back up the authorities in this light bills, and collectively in the extra profit derived from the supply of power for munitions, and thereby are being municipally owned. Of course, this saving of house illumination is only saved by the citizens of Sherbrooke are, in this way, just doing their bit to help finish the war, and as a good profit, too.

TOWNS THAT SUCCEED ADVERTISE.

Two Midland grocery stores have gone out of business in recent months, and the Collingwood Bulletin says that, instead of the same having an aggressive competition, it was, judging by the local papers, aggressive advertising. The Bulletin very properly holds that it was more likely a lack of aggressive advertising that put the stores out of business. The stores in 64 years ago.

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question did little or no newspaper advertising. If one were to judge by the Midland papers would say that nearly all the business places in Midland are in a comatose condition. Time was when the newspapers there carried a large volume of advertising and the town was lively and progressive. For the past two years, however, the Midland papers have carried very little local advertising, and have operated at a very considerable loss. Midland is no worse off than many Orillia is in the forefront, with Barrie and Collingwood following closely behind. We are aware that many business men think money spent in newspaper advertising is thrown away, but they make a big mistake in not recognizing that a town without a newspaper is a back number, and that the towns that succeed most are those which advertise most.

GOVERNMENT OF TRAILERS

In the Western Provinces of Canada, as indeed practically everywhere under the British system, it is the government which rules a country. Ontario has the unique distinction of possessing such a vigorous and capable opposition that it is the real governing force in the province. Time after time in the last few years has the government, after unbending and resolutely opposition turned round and adopted fundamentally important measures which the Opposition had been advocating in able and active campaigns.

Prohibition was the outstanding illustration; women suffrage is the equally important instance this year.

What the public is thinking nowadays is this: If the Opposition, while out of power, can accomplish such great reforms, what will they do when they get into power? And the public is likely to answer that they want to see those reforms put into effect by the fullest exercise of their abilities. When this Opposition becomes the government it is safe to predict that the greatest era of reform and advancement which the province ever saw will be inaugurated.

On the question of woman suffrage the McDonald Bill now becomes law and Wm. McDonald, Liberal member for North Bruce, J. C. Elliott, Liberal member for West Middlesex, Alan Studholme, Labor member for East Hamilton, as well as Mr. Rowell himself and the liberal members who voted against the Bill will be interesting in the face of the heavy opposition of the government, have every reason to be delighted at the turn of events which are at last giving the women of the province what they jointly deserve—the vote.

GOVERNMENT OF TRAILERS

Mr. McDonald's criticism of the government as "trailers" is one an apt that it is likely to stick.

WORLD BANKRUPTCY

Approximate statistics showing the wreckage which European belligerent have expended for war purposes from July, 1914, to date, have been compiled by an expert for the New York Herald, who states that his estimates are under rather than over the exact figures, and who also claims that the enormous expenditure may bankrupt the world.

The total cost of the war to date for the nations directly engaged is given as seventy-one billion seven hundred and eighty-two million dollars, and the cost per day at the present rate of the nations interested is one hundred and eight million, four hundred thousand dollars.

The total cost of war to date to Great Britain is sixteen billion seven hundred and thirty million dollars, or a daily rate of two billion and twenty-eight million nine hundred thousand dollars. France has a war bill to date of nine billion seven hundred million dollars, and a daily war expenditure of eighteen million, Russia's expenditure is slightly smaller than France, and the total cost of the war thus far to the allies is given as nineteen billion, seven hundred and forty million dollars, with a daily cost of seventy-two million dollars, expenditure running at twenty-two million. Austria-Hungary's total cost to the end of 1916 was two billion eight hundred million dollars, and a daily war expenditure of eight hundred million dollars, and each day of the war Austria-Hungary's million five hundred thousand dollars from them.

SPLENDID PROGRESS.

It is interesting to note that notwithstanding the recognized fact that business conditions during the past year have been abnormal, the banks have generally that it had been a period in which it was necessary to exercise great caution, the annual reports of most of the Canadian Banks have made splendid progress has been made in the year, and that is very encouraging.

This is very conspicuously reflected in the case of the Standard Bank of Canada as appears from the annual report which has been presented to the shareholders on February 28th, and which appears in another column. This bank has been established in 1917, the Bank, after providing for all costs of management, paying interest on deposits, and making provision for bad and doubtful debts, shows profits of $580,230.90 which is equal to 18.90 per cent. on the paid up capital, 9.45 per cent of the capital and rest combined. The net profits of the previous year were $503,662.56, so that, notwithstanding the losse, $16,428.66. The circulation shows an increase over the previous year of $1,174,700.00 and the loans to the public now stand at $26,064,585.00 as against $24,945,015.00 at same date last year. The deposits show the remarkable increase of from $42,999,950.00 to $48,259,764, while the total assets now stand at $59,850,274 as against $53,282,121 the previous year, an increase of over $6,500,000.

The growth of the Standard Bank during the last five years has been particularly marked. In that period the deposits have increased over 70 per cent, while the total assets have increased from $17,617,327 in 1912 to $59,850,274, an increase of nearly 60 per cent. During the year the usual dividends of 12 per cent, amounting to $358,889 were paid, contributions to the Officers' Pension fund, $20,000 to the patriotic fund and kindred objects, $25,000. The government tax on circulation was $20,482.75 and $91,947 was carried forward to profit and loss account, making that item $153,382.62. The satisfactory feature of the bank's statement is the quick assets which now stand at over $22,000,000, practically 50 per cent. of the total deposits with $10,262,524 cash in hand.

The legitimate requirements of manufacturers, merchants and farmers have evidently been well taken care of as the loans to the public are shown as $26,064,585. The bank's policy has always been to do its share in the legitimate development of Canadian industries, and the amount appearing in the statement as loans to the public has been confined entirely to Canada.

DROP IN POTATOES PRICES EXPECTED

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Potatoes during the week have been an object of more than unusual interest to Canadian consumers in such high levels that the consumer has apparently decided to get along without them, and a heavy demand has that the demand fell suddenly flat during the first part of the week. With the arrival of Western potatoes, and Prince Edward Island stocks it is anticipated that there will be a drop in prices, and that Canadian Consumers in the meantime have turned their attention to the rice and macaroni, and a heavy demand has already set in for this commodity.

Sugar held steady in price during the week with a firmer tendency in raws in the New York market. Flour was also stationary. Tea has continued in the same position as levels reached last week. There is exception on the part of importers to find our weekly schedule placed on the excise of tea from Great Britain applies to stocks held and previously duty paid. Some package teas have registered an advance. Lard is higher in price, Bacon cures are all cleaned up, but new lards are reaching the market in larger quantities and the price is easier.

Advances in price of other lines include corn syrup, package cereals, bromne, package soap powders, net weight paper bags, lima beans, tapioca, vegetables, oranges, grapefruit. Advance are also noted in many lines put up in tin containers. The great scarcity and high price of tin is where responsible for the increase to can manufactures and prices have gone to unprecedented levels. In cases where quotations are high prices have also to be paid for this material. The announcement of prohibition of coffee imports into the United Kingdom had the effect of lowering coffee prices at New York. — Canadian Grocer.

GOVERNMENT LOAN PLAN UNCHANGED

Ottawa, March 2.—There is much speculation in financial circles as to the new Government War Loan, which will be issued on March 12. Sir Thomas White has his own private reasons, refuses to make any statement and will make no announcement until the prospectus appears.

The general belief here is that the loan will be for $150,000,000 twenty years' bonds, bearing 5 per cent. and yielding about 5 1-2 per cent. It is predicted that approximately $50,000,000 will be taken in the United States, as a like amount was absorbed of the second loan and $25,000,000 of the first. The bonds will likely be forward as with the previous Government loans in allowing payment by instalments, half of the total if miscellaneous subscriptions permit of it.

THE WRONG PLACE

There was a timid knock at the door.

"If you please, kind lady," the beggar said, "I've lost my right leg—"

"Well, it isn't here," retorted the lady of the house, and slammed the door.—Chicago Herald.

WHEN SUBJECTS ARE SCARCE

When I sit down to write a rhyme
I do a lot of thinking; With subjects scarce every time, it seems my head is sinking; I think of mother's crazy quilt, of home sweet home and Eddie, and find my thoughts are all gone wrong—I've banded it already. The furnace! Ah, I'd write of that. No, it

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EVERY WAR TRICK BEING USED TO CHECK ADVANCE OF BRITISH

(By Philip Gibbs.)

Our Correspondents' Headquarters, Feb. 24.—The German withdrawal and British advance to the south-west of Bapaume still continue. Last night the German troops abandoned Gommecourt, and the British took possession. The entry into Gommecourt without a fight will seem most sensational. It was here, on July 1st of last year, that waves of London men swarmed up against the German position, and by the highest valor and sacrifice broke the enemy's lines and would have pushed back by sheer valued gunfire, which threatened them with annihilation. Many British dead had been here, and the place was haunted forever by the memory of their loss and great endurance.

Last night the gates were open. The German troops had stolen away in the dusk, leaving nothing behind but refuse of trench life and ditts of trench mode. In other places they have way open for their withdrawal, strong posts of German with machine guns hold out in the wedge just south of Rossigneul Wood and in Bizz Wood, which lies to the west of Gommecourt. These rearguard posts, numbering an officer or two and anything between fifty and one men with machine guns, and probably telephone keeping them in touch with the main forces, have their full share of courage and intelligence, stay behind with orders to hold on to the last possible moment. They have done so with determined spirit.

EVERY WAR TRICK TRIED.

All tricks of war are being used to check and kill the British pursuit. In addition to trip wires attached to grenades, German helmets have been left about with bombs concealed in them so as to explode on being touched, and there are other devices of this kind which are ingenious but hardly worth the trouble. The German soldier is a machine prepared to give the British greater trouble, but they are being routed out from their hiding places. There were a lot of them in the ruins of Puisieux last night, but after sharp fighting and a grim man-hunt among the broken brickwork they were destroyed, and the British line now runs well beyond it to Gommecourt on the left and down to Irles on the right.

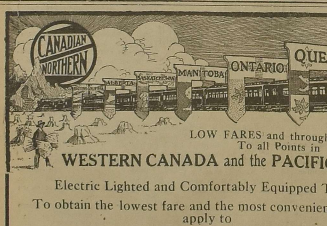
The Germans have destroyed lries church tower, as they have destroyed the Church of Achiet le Petit and the church and convent of Bapaume. This is to get rid of positions of observation which might be useful to the British in their advance. Heavy shelling has been concentrated by the Germans on Irles, and they are also barraging high explosives upon it. The latest village to fall into our hands is the little town of Ligny-Thilloy and just south of Bapaume. The Germans are now retiring to Loupard Wood, Achiet le Petit, and Beaucourt, strongly defended for the time being by a belt of wire.

RETREAT FORCED ON ENEMY.

It is enormously interesting to speculate upon this new plan of the German High Command, for it is plain forced upon them by the steady pressure of the British attacks which have now had ground where the condition of their troops was that they had been utterly misled by their own people as to the fact that the British fighting power in the spring might break their armies and make a terrible defeat, and afford great lack—for the foggy weather is their back—a manoeuver designed to keep their troops orderly in increasing their defensive man-power, and to withdraw in a way that they intend to make difficult for pursuit, and so gain time to fall back upon new and stronger lines.

WHERE WILL THEY STOP.

Where they will make the final halt is a problem upon which all the fighting men of the British are concluding that they might take the boldest course and retire to the line before Cambrai and Cambrai, but that is looking far ahead, and quite uncertain. At present they seem to be moving on Le Transloy and will, drawing to a series of diagonal lines, swinging back first through Achiet-le-Petit and Loupard Wood and south of Bapaume, then, as the British advance, across through Achiet-le-Grand, Bethrilles, and Bapaume. Eastward beyond Bapaume the Germans are still in the country by scattered strongholds in Thilloy and woods, and it is here they will find themselves in trouble unless they are quick in their escape.



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When "Hard" Ross was mad he wasn't a pretty thing to look upon. His rage seized upon his features, his sunburned cheeks and flared like fire into his gray-blue eyes that were usually cool. "The men who are willing to be for orders" and pay and in whose strong hands the destinies of the Up and Down Cattle Range had reigned for a matter of years were not afraid of him, since they were not the sort of men to be afraid of anything that walked or had a name in the dictionary. But they had a way, at times like this, of going very quietly about their business.

"Do about it?" bellowed Hard Ross at the half dozen riders about the chunk house. "What am I going to do about it, hah? The law, you say, Harper? Yes, the law, by hokey! Yes! The law that men have gone to over since Adam's long tipe before the time of crooked sheriffs, and crooked judges! The ol' law, the law there ain't no better, and begin' up, the law of a man's right handed!"

It was a long speech for Hard Ross to make before breakfast, a rare bit of eloquence from him at any time, and the men looked at him curiously. Even Sunny Harper, whose yellow, tousled head and easy ways gave him his name, condescended to be serious.

"What's happened recent?" he asked ed. "Everything was all right when we hit the hay last night."

"All right!" cried Hard Ross angrily. "You mean we thought it was. Is it all right it a man sees to sleep with a rattler in his blankets and then goes under his pillow, jes' because he don't know jest what kind of company's in it, wasn't it all right and proper to been off up on for a year now. Only this time I got something I can lay my hands on!"

Here was something interesting, almost tangible in the storm of the forcemen's anger. The men, with the last man of them, looked at him with something sharp and expectant in their eyes.

"It's Silver Slippers this time!" Hard Ross flung at them. "Some one's been hurled a stiletto at the head of a man he hated. "She's gone!"

"Silver Slippers!" queried Little John Sperry, his mild eyes alert and dubious gaze. "Why, I tied her in her stall last night. Where I watered her an' fed her the last thing."

"An' she's been gone this morn-in'," snapped Hard Ross.

"Maybe she broke away an'—" began Little John's bit eagerly.

"Maybe I'm a fool, hah?" Ross cut him short. "Maybe she shut the barn door after she went out, after I dropped the bolt in the staple, hah? There's no maybe about it; she's stole the same as one——" of a lot of other things he has done durin' twenty-five year. An' this time I got both eyes open, and I'm gettin' the deadwood on the man I want! He hops up to-day still an' watch an' you'll see something."

They sat still, all but Hard Ross, who stood at the open door and the cook, who rounded by his stove, a black grimace of steaming liquid escaping from the coffee-pot in his hand and spattering upon the rough boards of the floor. And then another man came to the door, a big fellow with round, circular shoulders and smoldering eyes.

He came to the door from the well where he had been washing, and he carelessly about the long, low room, saw Hard Ross and the thing so plainly read in Hard Ross's face and started back. Every movement this man made was quick, but his leap now, a sideways and back, was quicker than enough. Hard Ross's big hands had flashed outward, and the muscles of the other man's shoulders, they had jerked him off his feet into the room and slammed him down so that his shoulders struck heavily against the wall.

"Hawley," said the foreman, his voice quiet now, his eyes alight with a perfect joy of rage, "I'm going to give you the breath of your life!"

"What's the matter?" cried the man Hawley, his big hands wavering like all the other man's wrists. "What's eatin' you, Ross? Jus' because you happen to be soon here you ain't only——"

Pat answer Hard Ross jerked his right hand free and with his hard muscles clothing to the utter sinews it straight from the shoulder into Hawley's face.

The man's head snapped back, striking the wall he swayed a moment, all but slumped from the one blow, then at last wrenched away from the one hand holding him and sprang to one side. As he leaped the blood was running across a cut cheek and cut lips. His face was distorted with a wrath no less than Ross's, his hand flew to his hip pocket.

"You dog!" he gasped chokingly. "I'll kill you for that."

But Hard Ross was not a fool and he had no wish for pistol play that day. For the leaped forward. He struck again before Hawley's hand could go the little journey to holster and gun. And there was the man right there in the lunch-house who could have taken that second blow square in the face and stood up under it.

Hawley did not reel now he fell heavily, not partially, and then lay stunned entirely, and where he fell he lay very still.

Stubbed it was very quiet in the lunchhouse. The cook remembered his coffee-pot and placed it back upon the stove. The men took their places about their chairs from the breakfast-table, came forward looking at the man on the floor.

"You mean he done it?" queried Sunny Harper gently.

Hard Ross calmed what I mean in words a young baby might understan', he grunted Ross. He stooped, jerked the unconscious man's head by the hair and flung it under one of the bunks. "Give him some water, cookie. Out'n the bucket."

But it was Sunny Harper who brought a bucketful of cold water and threw it over the unconscious man's face and wrists. And in a little Hawley opened his eyes and sat up. He looked at the face and sat up. And as he moved his hand went to his hip pocket and found it went swiftly to his hip, found an empty pocket, and dropped again to the floor.

"What's the next play?" he asked rather coolly. His eyes, hard, sharp, malevolent were fixed upon Hard Ross. "Shootin' scrapes an' out, I guess, seein' as how you took me when I wasn't lookin'."

"I just naturally took you as soon as I could get you," grunted Ross. "I wasn't lookin' for you."

"An' now maybe you're goin' to tell me what you done it for?" with a keen curiosity all at his face and his smoldering eyes.

"No, I ain't. Seein' as you know as well as I do, an' I'm jest goin' to tell the other boys an' there ain't no objection to your hearin' it, I'll say nothin' to you but this! Hawley on the pay list more'n a month ago. You know we didn't need him, an' there was races in town, an' I made the bet when he showed up for a job that Plummer was in the hills an' that Plummer was across the border. You know how I come out, wrecked. So I put him on an' watched him.

"Durin' the las' two months there ain't been any cattle lost, but I figured that Plummer was layin' low an' waitin'. An' then, las' night, he couldn't stan' it any longer. I heard him come back. He left his hoss in the trees by the creek, an' I hadn't heard him go out. But now it's plain as print to me that he's the gent who made off with a hundred little mare as ever was foaled this side of the Rockies. An' a man as lays a hand on Silver Slippers ain't what Hawley jes' got."

Hard Ross paused, drew himself up and stood against the wall.

"What do you think I done with him?" he asked. "I'm goin' to watch to get a drink, an' was gone about ten minutes. Think I let her?"

"What he say?"

"I don't know what's gone with her," he replied bluntly. "She's gone. It's been a heap of luck I've had since I first put up the job with Plummer an' he's been over or south of the yellow crowd to take her off your hands."

The silence which came and lingered upon Hawley's cut lips was not a pretty thing.

"You're sure great at guessin' things," he said sneeringly. "I'm not quite some ways off in your guess work, Mr. Ross. An as for proof——"

"Proof!" snorted Ross. Then he said again. "Do you take me for the sort that'd hang a man's neck for proof? I know you're a crook an' I know you had a hand in the talks of Silver Slippers. But I've had a hand in a whole lot of Bill Plummer's underplay. That's enough for me, Hawley. Now, listen to this: I'm not sayin' I know why I jus' beat you up a little instead of killin' you outright as you deserve."

"I ain't curious," muttered Hawley. But he lied. But then maybe the rest of the boys had put a right down on why I'm here so gentle with you after you've laid your dirty paws on the finest little mare as ever stepped her feet down on a raw range. An' I'm telling 'em so'd you can bear it you want to! Boys," and his deep voice went husky with the new emotion it got, "you know I'm puttin' it straight, for it was a day's work; for him to climb them on horseback was an impossibility. There was one of the range's Nature-made fences——

Upon the two sides of the valley, north and south, the mountains stood steep in roughly parallel lines, receding almost to the "Lower End," twenty miles away. There were open spaces and there, they passes, through which it was possible for cattle to work their way out and up, across the mountains and on to a neighboring range. But out of the score of men taking their places in the corrals, foreman, there were always men whose allotted duty it was to visit these gorges daily, to see that they were not being secretly steers seeking to leave the home range to examine the ground for the tracks of cattle, and if even a calf had gone that way.

And still, with all precautions, again and again cattle gave the slip and had been lost. They were gone from the range and no precautions which the Up and Down had taken to prevent them had been able to lessen the losses. A dozen big steers had gone in the herd and that was only the last week from seventy dollars a head. They hadn't gone away of their own will; they had been gone forever and a day, and not much Hard Ross knew. But that was all that he did know about it. They were gone, and that was the solace and a night. And picked cattle, too. The man who had engineered their loss had known what he was doing. He had picked the animals that experts would be sure to single out.

Hawley's hands came from a man like me," the foreman continued, shifting a bit uneasily under much scrutiny of eyes. "But I wasn't sure jas' one thing in the world as counts. An' it's love! Now wait a minute, with your head between your hands, I'll finish what I've begun, or I'll have to beat somebody else up this morning. I'm not sayin' I'm sure of Hawley in what I'm meanin'. There's different kinds of love. I ain't ever been much stuck on a woman, I ain't ever been mad in love with wimin' nor with poker. I've been crazy mad in love with life, even. But Silver Slippers—you know how I feel for her! Sickin'-filly, an' I broke her an' a man but me has ever slapped a leg across her back. Now you know what I mean?"

For a brief, uncertain moment the men's faces were expressionless, soft, and more than one man there, wondering, saw that they were wet. Then they slowly smoldered again, as on Hawley so that he shrank back from what he saw in eyes no longer like to our own, and Hard Ross spoke to them.

"Why didn't I pound the last spark of life out'n you? Why? Jus' because I knew that little mare had to be found cause you're the one man I know who can go get her for me. An' I'm goin' to get her myself, Hawley, if you waste any time puttin' Silver Slippers back in the barn. Now——" with a scratch on the silk of her hide, who then, so help me, I'm goin' to kill you!"

Hard Ross's jaw shut with a little click of the large, strong teeth. He turned swiftly and went to the breakfast-table. The other men, silent for a little, went to their chairs. Hawley, his face a mask of hate, his eyes scarlet threads of blood across it, turned and went down to the corrals for his horse.

And then a stranger came into camp and everything was forgotten in the shock of his coming.

CHAPTER III.

It is a saying in the West that "the law and barb-wire fences travel together," one is an accompaniment to the other; and when they both come the cattle country has got to move on."

The law and barb-wire fences had not yet invaded the mountain valleys of the Up and Down country. Sheriffs were not unheard of but the district was big and still and eminently self-dependent, and men had to administer the world-old way of settling their own troubles with their hands.

The Up and Down had been having its troubles for upward of a year now. Trouble upon the range is apt to mean but one thing, the loss of cattle for one reason or another. And, where fences and law have not come, the loser is very likely stranded for the next word, "Rustlers." For, wherever there are cattle there are strong men and weak, good men and bad, and wherever there are cattle and the opportunity there are men on the side of cattle and gold or the gallows.

When the creation piled the huge masses of the mountains it left between the deep-sided valleys the opportunity was made. The Up and Down range, then, in natural inaccessibility, was all since Time was young. There was the valley, twenty miles of it in length, as Hawley now and there and across the ridings upon one edge, under the cliffs, the work of weak hands. Winchester a deer browsing upon the far slope, waiting in places to a width of half a dozen miles. It was the Valley of the Twin Lakes.

At the "Upper End" the creek which carried away the surplus of the two little lakes' clear water to wander westward through the valley had its beginnings under tall shafts of pine, within reach over-echoing waterfalls. For a man to climb the cliffs there on

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GERMAN-MEXICAN PLOT UNEARTHED WAS DIRECTED AGAINST U.S.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The Associated Press is enabled to reveal that Germany has inaugurated unrestricted submarine warfare, and counting its consequences, proposed an alliance with Mexico and Japan to make war upon the United States if this country should not remain neutral.

Japan, through Mexican mediation, was to be urged to abandon her allies and join in the attack on the United States.

Mexico, for her reward, was to receive general financial support from Germany, resumption of war on a basis of the Arizona-New Mexico line, and share in the victorious peace terms Germany contemplated.

Details were left to German Minister von Eckardt in Mexico City, who was instructed to communicate the plan to German Minister Zimmerman at Berlin. January 19, 1917, was directed to propose the alliance when Carranza, and suggest that Mexico seek to bring Japan into the plot.

Full instructions were transmitted to von Eckhardt through Count von Bernstorff, former German Ambassador to the United States, who is now in Germany under a safe conduct obtained from his enemies by the outbreak of hostilities between the two countries.

Germany pictured to Mexico, by way of contrast, Britain and the Entente allies defeated; Germany and her allies triumphant and in world domination by the agreement of unrestricted submarine warfare.

ZIMMERMANN'S INSTRUCTIONS.

A copy of Zimmermann's instructions to von Eckhardt, sent through Count von Bernstorff, in possession of the United States Government.

IN WILSON'S HANDS.

This remarkable document is in the hands of the Government since President Wilson broke off diplomatic relations with Germany, but it has been kept secret while the President has been asking Congress for full authority to use the country's armed forces. Congress has been hesitating. It was in the President's hands while Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg was declaring that the United States had placed an interpretation on the submarine decree "entirely unwarranted by Germany," and that Germany had promoted and honored friendly relations with the United States "to the heirloom from Frederick the Great."

Of itself, if there were no other, it is the most American answer to all the German Chancellor's plan that the United States "brusquely" broke off relations with Germany without "authentic" reasons for its actions.

THE MISSING LINK.

The Mexican Government the missing link to many separate chains of circumstances, which until now have been without apparent connection. It sheds new light upon the frequently reported Mexican movements in favor of the Mexican Government coupled with its situation with the friction between the United States and Japan, and it gives another chapter to the celebrated report of Jules Cambron, French Ambassador to Mexico City, on the part of Germany's worldwide plans for stirring strife on every continent where there might arise for the benefit of the world domination, which she dreamed was close at hand. It adds a climax to the operations of Count von Bernstorff and the German Embassy in this country, which have been colored with passport frauds, charges of Emmanite plots and intrigue, the full extent of which never has been published.

SUB BASES IN MEXICO.

It affords also the first independent reports of submarine bases on Mexican territory on the Gulf of Mexico; it takes cognizance of what has been recognized by American army chiefs, that if Japan ever undertook to invade the United States it probably would be through Mexico, over the border and into the Mississippi Valley to split the country in two. It recalls that Count von Bernstorff, when handed his passports, made every relegram to return to Germany, but expressed a preference for asylum in Cuba. It gives a new explanation to the repeated arrests on the border of men charged by American military authorities with being German intelligence agents. It explains the failure in connection with Gen. Carranza's current proposal to restrain that export of food and munitions to the Entente allies be cut off, and an intimation that he might stop the supply of ore which is the British navy, and is exported from the Tampico fields.

WHAT WILL CONGRESS DO?

What will Congress do, and how members of Congress, who openly have sympathized with Germany in the struggle against the President will deal with full authority to protect American rights, will regard the revelation of Germany's plans to incite attack the United States, is the subject to-night of the keenest interest. Such a proposal as Germany instructed her Minister to make to Mexico borders on an act of war, if, actually, it did not.

Count von Bernstorff's connection with the plot, further than serving as the medium of communication, is revealed by the fact that the German Embassy here was not merely the agent of the German Government in this instance, but was really a sort of headquarters for all the German mission in Central and South America.

The German Naval Attache, Capt. Boy-Ed, and the Military Attache, Capt. von Papen, whose recall was forced by the State Department because of their participation in plots against this country, also were accredited to Mexico, and between the outbreak of the war and their departure from this country made at least one visit there.

GERMAN AGENTS FOUND.

It has been an open secret in the Department of Justice agents, in their investigations of plots to violate American neutrality, encountered in the armed expeditions in Mexico more than once, have uncovered what appeared to be the hand of the German secret service. A few days ago Fred Kaiser, suspected of being a German agent, was arrested at Nogales on charges brought under the neutrality statutes. Department of Justice agents have for a time attempted to check up military information on the American side of the border, and had cultivated the society of American army officers with an apparent intention of promoting these efforts.

NO LIQUOR IN THE ROYAL MAIL

(From Saturday's Daily.)

No liquor can be carried with the royal mail, is the order that has come from Ottawa. Some days ago an inspector of the Canada Customs Service wrote of the Ontario License Board asking if liquor could be carried with the mails. The head office of the superintendent of the Post Office Department at Ottawa, and received word that this could not be done, as all stage mail contracts strictly forbid this.

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OBITUARY

THE LATE JOSEPH CAYLEY

The last tribute of respect was paid this morning to the late Joseph Cayley, of Ops, whose his remains were laid at rest in the Catholic cemetery. The funeral was one of the largest seen for some time, the popularity and worth of the deceased young man resulting in a widespread demonstration of sympathy as well as sincere regrets at his early demise, from all classes.

Requiem mass was chanted at St. Mirs's church by Monsignor Casey in the presence of a large congregation, after which the cortege proceeded to the cemetery.

To the father and mother, as well as other relatives of the deceased the sympathy of all is extended.

THE LATE ARTHUR GRAHAM

The death of Arthur Graham occurred on Tuesday, Feb. 20, aged 31 years. Deceased gentleman was one of the best known and most highly respected residents of Cavan Township. He was born on the farm now occupied by Mr. Wm. Davis, Manvers, and lived there for 45 years, when he moved to the farm on which he died.

He ran a saw mill for many years, and by strict attention to business built up a splendid trade.

In religion he was an Anglican, a staunch Conservative and an Orangeman. He was of a very kindly disposition, and no one in need ever left his door without help, monetary or otherwise. He was a wholesouled and liberal gentleman and many will miss his cheery smile and wise counsel.

The funeral to St. Paul's cemetery, Cavan, was very largely attended. Rev. Canon Allen conducted the services at the home and grave and spoke in most praiseworthy terms of the deceased. The pallbearers were: Tilos. Graham, John Mitchell, Arthur Hilliard and Floyd McMahon and James Peel.

Three brothers, Jeffrey of Cavan, and William and John in the West, are left to mourn the loss of an affectionate brother. Four sisters predeceased him.

MRS. HUGH CORSCADDEN

There passed away on Saturday morning, February 24th at her home on Opp a quiet, devoted wife and mother, in the person of Sarah Ann Cross, beloved wife of Hugh Corscadden, and daughter of the late George Benjamin Cross and Eunice Clifford, of Pamaswick, England, in which place she was born in the year 1849, coming to Canada in 1868. She is survived by her husband, six sons and three daughters. One son, Clifford, of Vancouver, predeceased her nine years ago. The living are: William, Richard, Edwin and George, of Clark's Crossing, Sask.; Tom at home, Albert of town, Mrs. John Brown, Opp.; Mrs. J. Graham, town, and Lily at home. Two brothers, Charles Cross, of Vancouver, George Cross, of Golden Plain, Sask., survive her. The funeral was largely attended by a large concourse of friends from town and country. Service at the house and grave were in charge of her pastor, Rev. F. McIntosh. The pallbearers were her four sons, Tom, Richard, Edwin and Albert. Walter Calvert and George Ford.

Floral tributes were received from kind and sympathising friends: Mrs. W. H. Cresswell, spray; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Grey, spray; Mr. and Mrs. J. Balance, crescent; Mrs. W. Free and family, cross; spray; Mr. and Mrs. J. Graham, crescent; George Ford, crescent; Mrs. Brady and Mrs. Rudcott, sheaf; family, pillow.

Mr. Hugh Corscadden and family wish to thank their many friends for their kind sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

MR. ROLAND HILL

Peterboro Review: The death of Roland Charles Hill occurred on Friday, March 2. The deceased gentleman was in his 62nd year and was one of the best known and most highly respected residents of the city. He was born in Lakefield and was a son of the late Richard Hill. He was a member of the I.O.F. For fifteen years he was employed by the late Sir. Brown.

Besides his sorrowing widow he is survived by six children; Pte. A. M. Hill, in England, Herbert, at home; Mrs. S. Caldwell, of Detroit; Miss Ethel, of Lindsay, and Vera and Etta, at home; also three sisters and five brothers survive.

MR. JOHN McLEAN

Collingwood Bulletin: On Thursday last one of the oldest residents of Collingwood township, Mr. John McLean, passed away at the family home, lot 7, con. 3, at the very ripe age of ninety-one years. Mr. McLean was born in Mull, Scotland, and came to Canada with his parents when but twelve years of age. Upon reaching here his family settled in the township of Mariposa, where they resided until their death. Forty-seven years ago, Mr. McLean moved to Collingwood township, and took up the farm upon which he died. At the time he was largely a wilderness and once he had before him years of pioneer work such as that in which he had participated in in the township whence he came. He, however, went to work and succeeded in clearing the land and converting his part of the realm into a very fine farm Before coming from Mariposa he was married to his wife, who died in April last. The parents are survived by three sons and four daughters, the former being Archibald, chief of the Collingwood Fire Department; Alexander and John, in Collingwood township, while the daughters are Mrs. L. Kelly, Collingwood; Mrs. A. McDonald, who lives near the homestead in Collingwood township; Mrs. Geo. Hall, and Miss Jennie, at home. The deceased was a Presbyterian, and while his health permitted attended the services of the church regularly.

The funeral took place on Saturday from the family home to the Collingwood Presbyterian cemetery, the services being conducted by Rev. M. N. Bethune. Among those from a distance were a niece and nephew, Mrs. Black and Mr. Neil McLean, of Lindsay.

JOHN J. TILLEY.

Word has been received of the death of John J. Tilley, aged 85, at the home of his friends at Exeter, Ont.

The deceased has had many friends in Lindsay, was formerly inspector of Model Schools in Ontario, under the age of ninety-one years. Mr. McLean was a member of a well-known Durham family. His cousin is Dr. Tilley, Public School Inspector for Northumberland County, and a second cousin is Mr. C. N. Tilley, of Toronto. Thompson, Tilley and Johnson. His wife predeceased him some years ago.

It was on the recommendation of Mr. Tilley that the Government decided to substitute Normal for Model Schools. Mr. Tilley was one of the most prominent educationalists in the province in his time.

DR. W. D. McILMOYLE

Muskoka Herald.—The sudden death of Dr. McIlmoyle, came as a great shock to the whole district. The news of his death at 8.45 was elicited by testified to by the great throngs of town and country people that packed the street of Mr. and Mrs. Funeral, among whom were many women silently weeping at the loss of a friend whose skill and sympathy had so endeared him.

William David McIlmoyle was born in Fraserville, Township of Monaghan, Ontario, August 8th, 1854. After leaving public school he attended the High School at Millbrook and Peterboro. After a brilliant course at Toronto University he graduated in 1890, and immediately took post-graduate course in Bellevue Hospital, New York, and Greenwich Hospital, Connecticut, where he took a special course in surgery. After a short time in Peterboro he came to Bracebridge, and purchased the practice and residence of Dr. Colbeck, in November, 1901. He proved in the past seven years grew to be very large and his name quickly became a household word for skill and kindness.

Shortly after beginning work in town he married Miss Ethel Jackson, daughter of Mr. Thos. Jackson, of Ida. Two little boys and a baby girl have been left fatherless by this untimely death. His mother and two brothers, James R., of Lindsay, Stanley H., of Fraserville, are also left to mourn his loss.

His death was due to heart failure and came with terrible suddenness. Though an unusually strong man, weighing 200 pounds, without superfluous flesh, his life snapped under conditions that would have only slightly inconvenienced many weak persons. There was nothing about the operation to cause any alarm; he simply had an unusually weak heart.

BIRTHS

ROGERS—In Linden Valley, on Feb. 28, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Rogers, a son.

CAMBRAY

(Special to The Post.)

The basket social and concert under the auspices of Cambray Women's Institute, held in the Presbyterian church on Feb. 23th was a huge success. The programme, which consisted of solos by Ira Collis, of Linden Valley, and Scotch songs by Charles McKay, who was dressed in Highland costume, were pleasing, also George McCabe, of Lindsay, delighted the audience with his humorous readings and received several encores. The drills and dialogues given were also splendid; as well as also was the recitation by Carl Welsh. The Cambray orchestra were present and furnished good music. After the programme parts were given, Mr. W. Windon, who was chairman of the evening, called on Mr. F. R. James for to dispose of the baskets, which he did in his usual way to the best prices for them. After the sale of the baskets the ladies passed around with coffee and cake, those who had not secured baskets. The proceeds of the evening were very encouraging, amounting to $42.25, which is in all of Red Cross work. The next Institute meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. G. Vanstone, on Wednesday, April 4th. All are welcome to attend this meeting.

COBOCONK

(Special to The Post.)

The parents of W. H. Cook have received word that their son has been taken into No. 6 Base Hospital, France, of their son, a private in the 21st Batt., suffering from a bullet wound in the general favorite, a hockey expert of more than local acquaintance, and his many friends in this town, also had good on the road to wellville.

Mrs. (Dr.) Gould, of Feeelon Falls, was a visitor to Coboconk on Thursday evening, and also at a meeting called to organize or a more efficient branch of the Ladies' Aid of Soldiers' Comfort work.

The secretary of Gull River Lodge, I.O.O.F., received the following letter from the mother of a deceased member:

"I beg to convey to you my appreciation of the Canadian Order of Oddfellows and the members of Coboconk Lodge for the treatment accorded me in my recent bereavement.

Though my husband, Cecil, had only been a member for a couple of years, yet the brotherly spirit shown when his remains arrived was something I can never forget.

The cheques covering funeral disbursement and insurance were called for promptly. Kindly express for me my thanks to your brother members at your next lodge meeting for their courtesy and consideration. Wishing your noble order the success it merits, I remain sincerely,

MRS. JAS. STORER.

SOME CARDS NOT YET IN

The time for the return of the National Service cards by those who have not yet returned them, or have returned them improperly filled in has been extended to March 21st, 1917, and further cards have been issued to the postmaster for distribution among those who have made default.

It is understood that the returns from this Military District have been most gratifying. There are, however, even in this district, a number who have not yet made their return. The National Service Board has expressed the wish that everyone in the district will see his or her way fit to do so before the extension of time.

COMPULSION IS NOT PLANNED

Ottawa, March 5.—Sir Edward Kemp, Minister of Militia, who is in Toronto, called up the department this morning and sent out the announcement that Rev. Mr. Hindley's statement in Winnipeg last night that the Militia Act is to be enforced immediately is wholly unauthorized.

The department has several suggestions under consideration in regard to the reorganization of the Canadian militia, but has yet been adopted, but when a scheme is evolved it is not planned that compulsion shall be a part of it. An official announcement as to the plans of the Government is expected soon.

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ANOTHER CHECK FOR CROWN PRINCE HAIG'S FORCES GAIN DAILY

London, March 5.—The troops of the Crown Prince swung forward again north of Verdun yesterday afternoon in a sweeping attack about a twomile front between Chambrettes Farm and Beaumarais. They smashed through the French advanced positions north of Cumieres Wood, but were beaten back in every effort to penetrate the wood itself.

A curtain of fire from the French guns checked the onrushing columns at every point, and caused the most severe casualties on the attackers. This morning Nivelle's soldiers pressed forward against the positions occupied by the enemy and wrested back the greater part of them.

SEVENTEEN GERMAN PLANES WINGED.

On the Somme and Ancre fronts the British carried out minor enterprises aimed to straighten their new lines. German attempts to recapture the trenches lost yesterday cost Von Bulow heavy losses but yesterday's counter chavenne failed completely. The British positions east of Cominecourt and the improved position to the north successful raids were carried out in the Arras, Givenchy and Ypres sectors.

Aerial activity was revived along the entire front. Seventeen German machines were brought down, six forced by British aviators or whilst craft batteries, while the Germans account for seven British planes.

MORE SUCCESSFUL RAIDS.

The official report from British Headquarters in France tonight reads:

"This morning the enemy attacked the position east of Boucheverne and lost by us yesterday, but were repulsed with loss, leaving some prisoners in our hands.

"East of Cominecourt we have improved and strengthened the position gained by us yesterday. This morning we carried out two successful raids to the southeast and northeast of Arras, respectively. Many casualties were inflicted on the enemy, forty-two prisoners and one machine gun were captured. We also entered trenches to the southeast of Ecoust and took prisoners. In every case our casualties were slight.

"East of Ypres the enemy exploded a mine; no damage was done to our trenches.

"Yesterday there was considerable activity in the air; many combats took place. In the course of the day six enemy machines were brought down, two falling in our lines. Eight were driven down damaged. Seven of our machines were brought down, and five are missing. Useful artillery reconnaissance work was carried out by many places of military importance were attacked with bombs.

FOR CLAIMS OF PRISONERS.

The Berlin official account of this operation states that the French outpost position where the Crown Prince on the north was stormed over a front of three-quarters of a mile, and that 372 prisoners were swept into the German ranks.

The Verdun thrust furnishes an explanation of the German withdrawal on the Ancre front. This was the first month's attack in the spiteful fighting tonight. It is generally agreed that the Germans were anxious to straighten out their Ancre front and shorten their line, chiefly for the sake of concentrating them for an attack elsewhere.

Admitting the fatal fascination Verdun holds out for the Germans, despite the terrible spiteful losses there, the military view leans to the idea that this is a feint mainly. All previous thrusts at the west point to the futility of attacking over a narrow front.

SIGNIFICANT BERLIN ADMISSION.

Berlin admits that the British and German reports of the operations, it seems unquestionable that, despite the intensity of the fighting, the British are steadily gaining. The quantity of preparation and their capture of more than ten prisoners, their progress was infinitely more improved proving the soundness of the effort. The fact that the French were able to come back to-day and regain much of the lost position also suggests that the Germans attacked with little intention of obtaining a final success. If they did, their failure has been almost complete.

Great significance attached to the statement issued by the British war office to-night stating that "the Berlin has yet made in admitting the change in the Ancre and Somme battle fronts during the last few days.

BRITISH GUNS DAILY

The main factor in regard to the situation is the continuous, unremitting and ever daily gains for the British. Douglas's troops are now on the outskirts of the villages of Le Emarts and Beaupuy, northwest of Bapaume, and are steadily approaching the railway running from Bapaume to Cambrai and with the important Pozieres Arras road. The artillery bombardment has been of the most terrific character up with persistent infantry attacks which threaten to cut the German line of communication to the west of Bapaume.

The importance of the British advance east of Beaupuy and of the menace to Pereone. Already the British are almost in position to cut the railway at Mont de Quentin and to cut the important Pereone-Mets road.

The evacuation of the coming offensive in the eyes of the German authorities is indicated by the taking up by them of new lines well to the country by the military. The chief of the field railway system is to have his headquarters at Cambrai.

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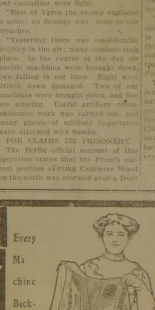

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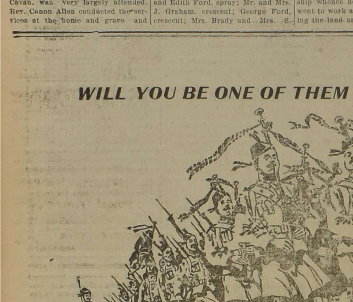

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THE Standard Bank of Canada

Report of the Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of Shareholders

Wednesday, 28th February, 1917

The 42nd Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Standard Bank of Canada, was held at the Head Office of the Bank, 15 King Street West, Toronto, on Wednesday, the 28th February, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon.

A large number of shareholders was present.

On motion, the President, Mr. W. F. Cowan, took the chair, and Mr. S. A. Bog, Chief Inspector, who acted as Secretary of the meeting, read the report: Your Directors, in presenting to the Shareholders the Forty-second Annual Report of the affairs of the Bank for the year ending 31st January, 1917, have pleasure in stating that the profits have been well employed during the past twelve months and a satisfactory increase is shown in all departments.

The Net Profits, after making provision for bad and doubtful debts, rebate of interest on unmatured bills under discount, exchange, cost of management, etc., amount to $183,220.10, being at the rate of 16.96% on the average paid-up capital of the Bank for the year. This amount together with the balance forward from last year and the sum of $133,243.34 for premium on new stock issued during the year, makes the sum of $475,513.15.

This has been appropriated as follows:—

Four quarterly dividends at the rate of 12% per annum.....	$288,859.61
Contributed to Officers' Pension Fund.....	20,000.00
Contributed to Patriotic and Canadian Objects.....	20,000.00
War Tax on Bank Note Circulation to 31st December, 1916.....	30,483.75
Transferred to Reserve Fund from Premium on New Stock.....	133,243.34
Balance of Profit and Loss Account carried forward.....	183,026.45
	$675,513.15

During the year Branches of the Bank have been opened at Burdett, Coalhurst, New Dayton, and Travers, Alberta; Rushlake, Sask.; and Schumacher, Ont. The Bank at Cochrane, Ont., was closed.

The usual inspection of the Head Office and Branches has been made and the staff have faithfully and efficiently discharged their duties.

W. F. COWAN,
President.

GENERAL STATEMENT

LIABILITIES.	
Notes of the Bank in circulation.....	$ 4,546,513.10
Deposits bearing interest (including interest accrued to date).....	$34,818,342.15
Deposits not bearing interest.....	11,473,713.46
	46,292,055.61
Dividend No. 101, payable 1st February.....	72,214.90
Balances due to other Banks in Canada.....	419,556.51
Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada.....	286,475.55
Acceptances under Letters of Credit.....	3,645,445.00
Capital paid up.....	3,232,242.14
Reserve Fund.....	4,232,242.14
Balance of Profit and Loss Account carried forward.....	183,026.45
	$105,350,274.09

ASSETS.	
Current coin held by the Bank.....	$1,826,743.47
Dominion Notes held.....	5,891,181.00
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserves. 1,500,000.00	
	$10,742,524.47
Deposit with the Minister for the purposes of the Circulation Fund.....	$ 150,000.00
Notes of other Banks.....	210,245.00
Cheques on other Banks.....	3,709,833.92
Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada.....	384,376.27
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities not exceeding market value.....	3,574,349.49
Canadian Municipal Securities and British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian.....	5,371,337.45
Railway and other bonds, debentures and stocks not exceeding market value.....	289,464.63
Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days) Loans in Canada on bonds, debentures and stocks ..	3,656,916.71
	11,426,139.68
	15,336,644.10
Other current Loans and discounts in Canada (less rebate of interest).....	72,893,934.87
Liabilities of customers under Letters of Credit as per contra..	58,646.34
Real Estate other than Bank Premises.....	1,297,317.46
Overdue debts, estimated loss provided for.....	172,789.89
Bank Premises, not over cost, less amounts written off.....	2,258,203.24
Other Assets not included in the foregoing	48,437.70
	$105,350,274.09

W. F. COWAN,
President.

GEORGE P. SCHOLFIELD,
General Manager.

AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS.

I have compared the above Balance Sheet with the books and accounts at the chief office of The Standard Bank of Canada, and with the certified returns received from its branches, and after checking the cash and verifying the securities at the chief office and at most of the branches on 31st January last, I certify that in my opinion such Balance Sheet is a true and correct view of the state of the affairs of the Bank according to the best of my information, the explanations given to me, and as shown by the books of the Bank.

In addition to the examination mentioned above, the cash and securities at the chief office and certain of the principal branches were checked and verified by me at various times during the year, and I have obtained all the information required.

All transactions of the Bank which have come under my notice have, in my opinion, been within the powers of the Bank.

G. T. CLARKSON, F.C.A.,
of Clarkson, Gordon & Dilworth, Toronto, Canada.

Toronto, February 13th, 1917.

The following resolutions were passed, and the scrutineers appointed reported the following gentlemen elected as Officers for the ensuing year: Mr. W. F. Cowan, Mr. Wellington Francis, K.C., Mr. W. F. Allen, Mr. P. W. Ellis, Colonel Mason, Mr. T. H. Purdom, Mr. H. D. Warnock, and Mr. C. S. Wood. At a subsequent meeting of the Directors, Mr. W. F. Cowan was re-elected President, and Mr. Wellington Francis, K.C., Vice-President.

Toronto, February 28th, 1917.

G. P. SCHOLFIELD,
General Manager.

ANNUAL MEETING OF REFORM ASSOCIATION OF NORTH VICTORIA

The second annual meeting of the above association was held in Dickson's hall, Manvers, on Friday, the 24th of January last, the president, Dr. R. J. Graham, occupying the chair. Included among the large and representative gathering were Q. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., Peterboro; Hon. Wm. Nesbitt, Lorneville; Mr. J. J. Laking, Haliburton; Mr. D. Doherty, Cameron; Mr. Cassidy, Omemee; Mr. McKenzie, Glenarm, and many other leading Liberals in the riding.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The president opened the meeting by asking the secretary to read the minutes of the last annual meeting after the approval of which the secretary read letters of regret from Dr. Blanchard, Lindsay; Mr. Cassidy, Bobcaygeon; Mr. Dorset; Mr. McCluney, Parnaee Falls; Mr. Tait, Highland Grove; Mr. Hull, Highland Grove; Mr. Short, Tory Hill.

The secretary stated he was glad to note the increasing interest in Liberalism throughout the northern part of the riding. Unfortunately the

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that the President's solution of the difficulty was a splendid one. There could not be any doubt that the people of this riding would be unanimous in getting all the money required if the President's idea was carried out. It would not take a great amount to pay the cost of an election in their riding. Probably about two thousand dollars ($500). would be sufficient if handled carefully. In his own case, he had a much larger riding to cover, his expenses came to considerably less than one thousand dollars ($1,000) and he was pleased to be acquainted with, somewhat similar to their riding, the cost was actually only a little over one hundred and fifty dollars ($150). The fact of the matter was, he said, that costs were entirely a matter of careful management. From his own observation he had formed the impression that they were going to have a campaign of perfectly capable of managing their financial affairs satisfactorily. (App.)

He was a strong believer in organization. He was a candidate in the field, Mr. Gillespie stated that he was happy to welcome Mr. Newman at this initial meeting. He was in a position to endorse every statement made regarding Mr. Newman's sincere sympathies. In fact, he thought, it would be scarcely possible to secure a more suitable candidate to represent them. His acquaintanceship with Mr. Newman extended over many years; he had done business with him, also office work in connection with the Liberal party during the last session of the Ontario Legislature, now reforms of different kinds, many of which had probably escaped public attention, were due to the pressure exerted by the Liberals with the able leadership of Mr. Rowell. (App.). Mr. Gillespie dealt with the various amendments to Mr. Rowell, stating that the fortunes of the party were in the hands of the people, and that his qualities as a leader were unexcelled by any Liberal leader in Canada. The leader of the Liberals of Ontario were being more firmly established each day. Now was the time to make a very large share of the credit for the passing of prohibition was due to Hon. Rowell. Another of the most prominent stand in this vital reform would ever remain as a great example to the Liberals of the Province of Ontario.

Mr. Gillespie resumed his seat, amid loud applause.

The President rising, said that he had listened with great pleasure to the speech of Mr. Gillespie. It was an inspiration; that they had received a great deal of encouragement from Mr. Gillespie's address. He thought that they would like to hear what Mr. Newman had to say. (App.)

MR. NEWMAN SPEAKS

Mr. Newman started his address by expressing his thanks for the kindness that had been shown him about him. He would, however, do all he could to merit as large a share of their kindness. He appreciated the hand in him, and which he believed they were expressing with sincerity. Continuing, Mr. Newman said that he Newman told a humorous story about a little boy who was asked by his teacher what was the shape of the world. The little fellow said, he did n't know, but that he had heard his father say that it was a very crooked world. Mr. Newman said he wanted to impress the responsibility of having absolute honesty and sincerity in public life. (App.)

Never before in Canadian history was the need of men of that type as greatly needed as at the present time.

In speaking of the great war, Mr. Nelman said that no effort should be spared in order to bring the war to a victorious ending. Speaking most emphatically Mr. Neuman declared that no financial measures were to be tolerated. It must be peace, perfect peace, and the men responsible for its awful tragedy punished to the last degree.

Referring to those present, Mr. Newman said that looking at this gathering, he had been observing them carefully and had formed a high opinion of them. (App.) It was a great pleasure for him to be in their company. He was also happy to meet his friend Mr. Gillespie that day; he could return all the compliments Mr. Gillespie gave him with pleasure. (App.) He felt that a true friend in Mr. Gillespie, as a man who never spared himself in service to his country. He thanked them sincerely, however, there were difficulties in the way. He had undertaken large responsibilities unsolicited, which of necessity would be required to be attended to first. He could not, therefore, at that time, give a definite answer, but would take some little time to consider it over carefully, would let them know the result later.

He suggested that it would be better for the present to get a committee before the convention, and let them choose the man they thought best, as he made up his mind to run when the candidate was, provided he was a good man. He would only be too pleased (App.) and would assist him in every possible way. He urged them to make arrangements to have the Liberal principles throughout the riding organized in time. He would endeavor to organize the township of Eldon himself. (App.)

DR. JOHNSTONE

The chair was called was Dr. Johnstone, who said he was glad Mr. Neuman had mentioned organizing the township of Eldon. He felt that was a most important thing to do, and if it were not done efficiently by the time of the election, the result of an election a great deal of their energy would be simply wasted. He thought it would be well if Mr. Newman knew of another man better qualified than Mr. Neuman himself. (App.)

MR. JAMES DICKSON

Mr. James Dickson spoke next. Mr. Dickson said bare the shortcomings of the Liberal party in Canada, and spoke at some length about a scandalous piece of graft in connection with the sale of some timber limits in the north country. Mr. Dickson, who is very well posted in the affairs of the party, said that these matters should be exposed from every platform in the country that the people should be made acquainted with things that had been done in the past. He was very opportunity he would expose their crafty dealings without kid gloves. He was pleased to meet Mr. Newman that day. He felt it was his duty to do so, and would continue doing it. (App.)

In the field, as a candidate, Mr. Dickson said he was very glad to see him at their annual meeting again. He was also glad to meet Mr. Newman with them. While he was not well acquainted with Mr. Newman, he felt sure he would be all that Mr. Gillespie had said about him. It seemed to him that Mr. Neuman was a stranger to most of those present for them and he sincerely hoped that Mr. Neuman would be in a position to meet them very close to come forward. (App.)

MR. DOHERTY

Mr. Doherty next spoke fluently, with a touch of humor, said that his name was Doherty, that though he was a stranger to most of those, he assured them he was not a pro Germ. man. (Laughter.) He was very glad that he came down that morning. He enjoyed being with them very much. He was also forming a candidate out, the Liberals of the County would do their level best for him and he was a good Liberal. Mr. Newman that it would be better to bring as many names as possible before the convention; it would cause a wider interest to be taken. Anything he could do in helping to organize the party in that district would be done with the greatest pleasure. (App.)

MR. NEVISON

The President of the local Association was next called on to address the meeting. Mr. Nevison said that the splendid gathering there reminded him of the good old days gone by, when they had no difficulty in bringing the boys together. He thought that the present was as far as they were likely to go in the way of being organized until they place a man in the field, as the people, Mr. Dickson said he was very glad to see him Newman would be. (App.)

ALEX. McCOEE

Mr. McGee stated that he had some experience in trying to organize the party in the past. The result of that experience was he had come to the belief that it was a waste of time trying to organize township polling divisions until there was a candidate in the field. He would be impossible to raise the necessary funds on the same principle. The only way, he thought, was to get a man in the field first, then get busy with organizing the polling divisions, and all the money required. he thought, would be easily obtained at the same time. He would help in every way he could, but let them get a candidate first. (App.)

MR. CAMERON

Mr. Cameron, Glenarm, said he had worked for Mr. Neuman for seven years in the past, and could say that he was a good Liberal and had every respect. He hoped Mr. Neuman would be their candidate. He had a halt out at Glenarm he would be very pleased to offer the use of it at any time to the party free of charge.

MR. McKENZIE

Mr. McKenzie, Glenarm, said that he was a speaker. He had much pleasure in hearing all that had been said about Mr. Neuman. He agreed with everything else, too, and was very glad he had come to their meeting. (App.)

The Secretary said he was under the impression that the best thing to do, with reference to organizing the party, was to get the regular organizer of the party on from Toronto, and at the same time get a man in the field, and get the matter attended to in a businesslike way. He believed that with the two there should have no difficulty in raising the money to meet expenses. He hoped they would get some suitable man or men to place their names before a convention before very long. (App.)

The President, Dr. Graham, closed the meeting by thanking the speakers, stating that they had had a most enjoyable meeting, and trusting they would find it necessary to meet soon again. (App.)

A HOT REJOINDER

Mistress and maid were engaged in a battle of tongues.

"How dare you talk to me that way," the mistress demanded. "I never heard such impudence. You have a lot of nerve to call yourself a lady's maid."

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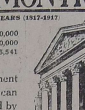

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MAJOR CAMPBELL ON RECRUITING

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Kingston Standard: Major G. I. Campbell returned from Lindsay and Peterboro Thursday night. In both places, he stated, he found that there was not the cooperation on the part of the citizens which was necessary to guarantee success for the 247th and 252nd Battalions. In Lindsay, at a meeting of the officers and a number of the prominent business men, he found there was a grim determination on their part to make the battalion a success. At a strenuous meeting of citizens in Peterboro he told them that it had come to the point where the battalion was to be or not to be and gave the city two months to redeem their reputation. After a lengthy discussion an unanimous resolution was passed that the citizens would do all in their power with money and influence to make the battalion a success.

The Post's Want Advts. pay.—Try one.

FEDERAL VOTE NOT FOR WOMEN

Ottawa, March 2.—Constitutional lawyers are of the opinion that, contrary to the general understanding, women's suffrage, although granted by five Provinces, does not, under the Dominion law, extend to the Dominion law, extend to the Federal franchise in these Provinces. In Saskatchewan and Alberta there is no doubt that under the Dominion Act the women have not been granted the ballot for Federal purposes. While the Provincial lists are accepted by the Dominion as the Federal lists, an exception was made by the Laurier Government of Saskatchewan and Alberta. In these two Provinces the Dominion prepares the list. The law is clear that the franchise is extended only to "every male person."

In Manitoba, British Columbia and Ontario, where the women are to have the franchise, the law is not so clear. A hurried examination would look as if the fact that the Provincial lists are accepted as the basis for the Federal lists would mean the inclusion of the women, but constitutional lawyers of undoubted standing who have been making a study of the subject have come to the contrary conclusion. They believe the Dominion Act, as it now stands, would not give the franchise to women for a Federal election.

It can be stated definitely that the Cabinet has not considered the question of a new Dominion Franchise Act, as has been intimated. The Government takes it for granted Parliament will be extended for another year, and in such a case there would be no necessity of considering the revision of the Franchise Act when Parliament reassmbles.

SIR JOHN EATON SPENDS MILLION

Ottawa, March 3.—Sir John Eaton has spent one million dollars of his own private funds to date supporting the families of men in his employ who are at the front, it was stated officially today.

Up to one week ago, 2,438 of his employees had donned khaki, and of these 1,200 are still drawing pay from him. These men, or rather their families, have been paid from Sir John's private resources. Their weekly pay roll has averaged over $10,000 and for the last week for which figures are available Sir John was called upon to spend $11,042 for this purpose. On Feb. 18 last a total of $982,885.50 had been drawn from Sir John's personal accounts to fulfil the peldges he had given regarding payment of wages to those employes who joined the army.

The Toronto factories and store have sent 1,591 men to the front. Of these 346 have appeared on the casualty lists, and 74 have lost their lives.

MUNICIPALITIES MAY DEAL IN COAL

Toronto, March 5—Legislation giving municipalities the right to go into the business of storing and selling coal and all kinds of foodstuffs will be passed at the present session of the Ontario Legislature. Hon. W. D. McPherson Friday introduced a bill to extend the provisions of the Municipal Act to give municipalities the necessary powers.

The authority will permit municipal councils with the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council and within the limitations and conditions prescribed for borrowing the necessary money, to pass bylaws for "buying, manufacturing and storing fuel, cereals, flour, bread, milk, butter, eggs, and potatoes and such other articles of food as may be designated in the order-in-council, and for selling the same to dealers and residents in the municipalities."

Such bylaws will not have to have the assent of the electors, but must have a two-thirds vote of the members of the council and debentures issued shall be repayable in not more than ten years.

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When she was a child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had children, she gave them Castoria.

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The watch upon his wrist.

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MISS WINIFRED HARDY WRITES NEWSY LETTER FROM FRANCE

The following interesting letter has been received at Peniel from Miss Winifred Hardy, of that place. Miss Hardy, who is at present in No. 1 Canadian General Hospital, France, is a graduate of Ross Memorial Hospital, and has many friends in town who will peruse her letter with interest:

No. 1 Can. Gen. Hospital,
France, Jan. 28, '17

Deal People at Peniel,—Sunday afternoon and just three o'clock. I suppose you will all be sitting in church, while I am sitting here in my room writing. How I wish I could be transported—if only for one day—it would be so good to see you all again.

It is very, very cold here. In fact, we think that the weather man has made a great mistake and that we are getting Canadian weather instead of what we should have over here in "Sunny France." However, there is one consolation—winter will soon be over and then we won't have to worry about the cold for another six months anyway. I imagine it just as cold as it is at home when an east wind is blowing and with no snow on the ground. The wind penetrates every vorner and we feel it in our huts, built of one thickness of board, covered with metal sheeting. We had a coal famine for awhile, but thanke be, coal arrived again before this cold spell set in.

Speaking of snow, I must tell you that we have had several flurries, but it has only stayed on the ground for a few nights. Whilst I was on night duty a week ago we had a regular little snow storm and I won't forget the eagerness of the Australian soldiers, as they tumbled out of bed to see the snow. Really they were as delighted as children for they had never seen any before. I think perhaps I was just about as silly as they were, for it seemed just like a Canadian night, and I felt a wee bit as though I were home again until I looked at the tents with their long lines of beds and then I came back to earth with a thud and remembered that I was in France and on "active service."

We have been very busy despite the fact that there is no "big push" on. Still the men are sick with colds and trench feet and various ailments of that kind and in that way the hospital is always full although the patients do not require as much care as they do in the summer when they come down with such dreadful wounds.

As I think I said, I have been on night duty. I had charge of five wards, each with sixty-six patients, so you can imagine that I didn't have many idle moments. I must confess that I didn't love it very much at first. It was no fun wandering from one tent to another, stumbling over guy ropes and continually losing my way in the dark, but after a while I grew used to it and now feel very brave indeed.

I want to thank you for the beautiful remembrance from Peniel which I received last week. It was so good of you all to remember me, and it brought a lump in my throat and made me feel homesick when I realized how you had all thought of and remembered me. It is so useful too, just the thing one requires when space is limited, and you have to live more or less in your trunk. Much as I value my little set for its own sake, still the fact that it came from home, and that the people at home still remember and think of me has made it most valuable in my eyes. One makes many new friends, but there are none just as near and dear as the ones at home, in the dear old place where one is brought up, and many, many times have I longed for Peniel and home again.

That doesn't mean that I am sorry I came, for I am not. I only wish that I could have come sooner, for I feel as though I ought to do all in my power to alleviate the sufferings of the boys. I could tell you stories which have been told me of sufferings "up the line," but they'll have to wait until I am home once more for the censor is just a little bit particular regarding what I do tell.

We had a pleasant Christmas here. Much less lonely than I expected. We, the Sisters, and some of the men, had practised Christmas carols and we sang them outside the wards on Christmas-eve. Then the men had a regular Christmas dinner of turkey and plum pudding, and we decorated the wards and tried our best to make the patients forget that they were sick and remember that it was Christmas day, and in doing that we almost forgot that we were lonesome and homesick and that it was our first Christmas away from home. I think I did shed a few homesick tears, but that's excusable on Christmas day, isn't it?

We have church here every Sunday evening, Presbyterian and Anglican service, and I have actually learned just when to get down and get up again. It is a beautiful service, though and I like it. Quite frequently I sing in the choir, as it is simply composed of any who want to help, so you see I haven't quite forgotten all our old 'metres,' and I'll still know how to sing a wee bit when I am home again and the war is over.

Once more I want to thank you all for my parcel, and to tell you that even though I am far away my thoughts wander often to dear old Peniel and all its people, and that all letters are devoured very much by me. I may not always answer—there is so little to tell, but, oh, it is so good to get all the news.

It is not yet too late to wish you one and all the happiest of years, is it? and to hope that the League may have a very prosperous and useful year. With kindest regards to all my friends at home.

Yours very sincerely,
WINIFRED HARDY.

YANKEE SHIPS WILL BE ARMED MEXICAN PLOT SOLIDIFIED SENTIMENT

Washington, March 1—After a day of patriotic debate, which obliterated party lines, the House late tonight passed the Administration bill empowering the President to arm and defend against unlawful attacks American merchant ships. The vote on the final passage was 403 to 13.

Representative Cooper of Wisconsin, ranking Republican of the Foreign Affairs Committee, moved to recommit the bill, with instructions to include a prohibition against the arming of merchant ships carrying arms and ammunition to belligerent countries. This motion was defeated by a vote of 295 to 124, and the opposition to the bill crumbled on the roll-call for final passage.

Stirring debate preceded the vote, and throughout the afternoon and into the night the galleries were crowded. The news of the alleged German plot to array Japan and Mexico against the United States added to the excitement of the discussion, and is believed to have aided in practically solidifying the House behind the President.

OVATION FOR MANN

Representative Mann, the minority leader, received the greatest ovation of the day when he announced his support of the Administration bill.

Chairman Flood of the Foreign Affairs Committee was also wildly applauded when he declared that "I hope we can do it (the defence of American rights) peacefully, but if we cannot will do it with force of arms."

The language of the principal section of the Flood bill as approved by the House is as follows:—

"That the President of the United States be, and is hereby authorized and empowered to supply merchant ships, the property of citizens of the United States and bearing American registry, with defensive arms, and also with the necessary ammunition and means of making use of them in defence against unlawful attack; and that he be, and is hereby authorized and empowered to protect such ships and the citizens of the United States against unlawful attack while in their lawful and peaceful pursuits on the high seas."

$100,000,000 APPROPRIATION FAVORED

The remaining sections of the bill provide an appropriation of $100,000,000 to enable the President to carry out the provisions of the bill and authorize bond issue to supply the necessary funds.

The Cooper amendment, which was defeated both on a standing and roll call vote, proposed to add the following language to section one of the bill:

"Provided that no ship of American registry, while armed in the manner aforesaid shall carry a cargo consisting in whole or in part of arms or ammunition consigned to a belligerent country or to any citizen thereof."

Representative Sloan of Nebraska, offered an amendment to prohibit the issuance of passports to Americans who intend to travel on ships carrying arms or ammunition. This was defeated 190 to 37.

All amendments proposing to change the language or scope of the Flood Bill were beaten as fast as offered in the House. Representative Moore of Pennsylvania offered an amendment to re-affirm the Declaration of London, which was defeated on a rising vote, 170 to 31. An amendment offered by Representative Austsin, of Tennessee, directing that the terms of the bill should be made to apply to the protection of American citizens in Mexico went out on a point of order.

The House debated the Flood bill for more than seven hours, and more than fifty speeches, practically all in favor of the measure, were made.

WOMEN'S VOTES AND FUTURE POLITICS

(From Monday's Daily.)

There's going to be some guessing in the next provincial election in this province, when the names of perhaps 729,000 women voters appear on the lists for the first time. Nobody will know how to size up the election prospects, the so-called political sharps being just as much at sea as anyone else. The trouble of course will be that there are no records to guide any prophecies. In the last Presidential elections across the line, the women voters puzzled the experts, perhaps contributing to some extent to the doubt that surrounded the contest for days after the polling. In Chicago they made a very searching analysis of the women's vote, and came to the general conclusion that it made no difference; in other words that the women voted just the same as their husbands or brothers. From this dizzy height we just expect some of the old political tricksters to get it in the neck.—Ottawa Journal-Press.

MUNCIPIAL COUNCIL AND DEVOTIONS

(From Thursday's Daily.)

"Windsor Council Opened With Devotions."—Under this caption the daily papers announced that the inaugural meeting was opened with prayer for the first time in the local history. This notable incident will doubtless be remembered for many a day. But why should city councils be moved to devotion only at a time of supreme national danger? Councils and mayors are to the cities what Boards of Managers and Elders and Pastors are to churches. They have the duty of doing what they can for the people, by whom they have been called to take office and to administer for common good. If there is an office that should be sanctified by devotion it surely is that dedicated to the guardianship of the public welfare. It would be exceedingly appropriate if the Mayor invited not only the aldermen and officials, but also the public to join him at devotions on the Sunday before taking office. The occasion would be one when the public attention would be rivetted to the true functions of Mayors, Aldermen and others in relation to their duties to those whom they serve, and the responsibilities of the people in electing men and women to positions of honor and trust and in a general respect for as well as a loyal support of, the organizations which are created for the development of the best in the community. Such public devotions are recognized as worthy of perpetuation in other parts of the British Empire, but somehow they have not yet become an universal custom in Canada. Indeed as indicated by the press notice, public devotion on the part of councils as a body is at present a remarkable event. The lives and amenities of the people depend largely upon the wisdom of the elected administration, and if there is a moment when harmony, goodwill and mutual respect is desirable, it is when the chosen office bearers start on their duties. I its at that time they should be inspired by the best wishes of the people shown by a general union at worship. Such a condition would tend to obliterate any asperity by the campaign, it would appeal to the highest and best qualities, and the cordial sympathies of the people. It would help to place public offices on a higher and more noble plane, and it would leave impressions which would ultimately mould public opinion of a finer and more pronounced character. It would bring the two great instituitons of the public and the church into closer relations.

There is no valid reason why the City Councils, Boards of Education, etc., should be wholly divorced in a collective sense from the church. It is highly imporant that they should work in complete unison of purpose. These bodies have their duties to perform, and who can demarcate where the functions of one terminate and is taken up by the others. They are so interlaced and interlocked that there is no apparent limitation of service to the people and to each other. The war inspires a new conception of duties upon us all, and evidently this is appreciated by public bodies. The sooner the better that it becomes a general custom for public organizations to invite people to join them in public devotions. Some will say it will be formal and Pharisaic. It may be with many but the thoughtful, sincere and truly patriotic among us will derive something that will impel him to do more and do it better for the people.—Municipal Journal.

SURPRISE SOAP
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CECIL FULTON HAD THRILLING EXPERIENCE

(From Friday's Daily.)

Mr. A. M. Fulton has received a letter from his brother, Cecil, at Aerial, Alberta, who narrowly escaped losing his life in a blizzard a few weeks ago. Fortunately his condition was not as bad as was at first reported. In his letter he states:—

"My hands were badly frozen, but luckily for me a doctor was at the Rosedale Co's office when I came in, and they rubbed with snow for about an hour, and I held them in coal oil for two hours, and according to the doctor and several old timers who knew what frost bites were, the kerosene is what saved my hands. One hand was useless for a week or two—no power in it, but is gradually getting stronger, and don't bother me now, excepting three fingers, which are sore yet. It was about the first week in January. You probably know we live in a valley about 600 feet beneath the prairie, and as a result you never know exactly what kind of a day it is on top. I knew it was rough, but did not know it was so bad. I started up this hill, got near the top, and the horse could not or would not face the wind, and I got out of the cutter and tried to turn her about, but all at once we all went over. I dropped about 20 feet, landing on my hands. I gave them a bad cut, and was watching just how fast I was bleeding, and tried to unharness the horse. I managed it o. k. but saw my hands were frozen and mitts gone. I rammed one hand in my pocket and the other one was powerless and had to stay out in the open. I was then about 1 1-2 hours before I got back to Rosedale.

Ontario Farmers!

Existing war conditions demand that you give the question of seed special attention this year. Seed of desirable varieties and high germination powers will be factors influencing yields

If you have not secured your seed LET THE ONTARIO DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE HELP YOU.

Farmers having Seed Grain or Potatoes for sale may forward samples to this office stating varieties, price and quantity.

Farmers Wishing to Purchase Seed are also invited to communicate with this office stating variety and quantity, and an effort will be made to put them in touch with farmers having seed for sale.

W. H. HEARST, Minister of Agriculture.
Write to A. A. KNIGHT, Dist. Rep., Lindsay, Ont.

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SEVERAL MUNICIPALITIES WILL LIKELY APPEAL AGAINST COUNTY VALUATION

(From Friday's Daily.)

The Committee of Finance and Assessment met at half past two with Reeve Hawkins in the chair. County Clerk R. McMillan polnted out a number of errors in the figures of the County Valuation and read the corrections, which were then approved on motion of Warden Tiers and Reeve Morrison. The changed figures show the following rates per thousand dollars under the equalization.

The committee then arose.	
Bexley	17.59
Carden	17.94
Dalton	18.36
Dalton	20.74
Emily	98.01
Fenelon	14.51
Laxton, etc.	12.07
Mariposa	179.94
Ops	132.17
Somerville	28.69
Verulam	76.17
Lindsay	19.99
Bobcaygeon	17.59
Fenelon Falls	22.73
Omemee	14.40
Sturgeon Point	4.27
Woodville	2.23

The matter in regard to appeals from the valuation by individual municipalities were read by Mr. McNeille. In the event of an appeal by any municipality the whole matter would have to be opened up again and reappointed. The cost of such appeal is borne by the county or the municipality, according to the judgment of the court. Ten years ago the appeal cost the county over six thousand dollars. Reeve Morrison, of Somerville is not satisfied with the new valuation and looks for an appeal.

Reeve Morrison felt that his township assessment was raised out of proportion. Reeve Hall said that Bexley certainly had not increased fifty-nine per cent. in valuation.

Reeve Morrison stated that last time the judge had upheld his township's appeal and certainly this present valuation was manifestly more unfair than the last.

The council were greatly disturbed about the matter and feared the expense of an appeal.

Reeve McLean stated that if Reeve Morrison's case were dealt with then a case for appeal would be made. Lindsay was not at all satisfied, but would stand by unless someone else appealed.

The council then voted that the county judge hear any appeals.

Reeve Morrison did not assess their townships either with good judgment or according to law. For this reason Lindsay was surprised at a strict valuation in comparison with their own valuation.

Reeve Morrison gave a number of cases he knew of personally where the land actually sold for much less than the value he would put on it.

He had been instructed by his township council to appeal on valuation if same was lowered by the council and would have to do so. He would prefer not to appeal. His township will leave it to the county to see what they would do.

Warden Tiers, Reeve Parsons, Reeve Hawkins and Reeve Hall were appointed a committee to watch the interests of the county, should an appeal be made.

Reeve Logan stated that Verulam was not going to appeal although it was the largest increase in the county. The valuation of Somerville, Besides Verulam and Somerville were practically the same in appraisal.

LIEUTENANT CLARENCE FISHER TELLS OF HIS FLIGHT IN THE CLOUDS

Through the kindness of Mr. T. A. Fisher the Post is permitted to publish the following interesting letter from his son, Lieutenant Clarence Fisher, of the Royal Flying Corps:

Sun. Feb. 25, 1917.

Dear Everybody,—I nearly passed away this morning when I received two letters from home with conviction from four posts, so I don't quite how to answer them all and consequently am addressing this to all of you.

I left Reading on Monday morning, arriving here the same afternoon. This place is on Salisbury Plain and is reached by travelling six miles on a motor truck through a hilly road, sand and chalk mixed. You've heard of the famous mud of Salisbury Plain, so I need not expatiate on its merits(?) We are miles from anywhere, but are certainly in comfortable quarters. Our "huts" are somewhat like Tucker's cottages, but with a longer frontage. A fellow from Vancouver and myself occupy an enormous room and sleep in real beds. (I used to use my camp bed in Reading.) Everything is great, but we have to wait on ourselves. In the whole is by away ahead of Reading. The aerodrome is great and there are all kinds of good landing ground which is a great advantage. This is the headquarters of the 4th wing containing No. 7, No. 8 and No. 24 Reserve Squadrons. I am in C Flight of No. 8 Squadron.

I got my 30% pilot on Tuesday afternoon. We are up for 40 minutes at 1000 to 1400 feet and travelled all over the countryside. We flew over Netheravon, Upavon, Larkhill Camp, Bulford Camp and Devizes. Over Devizes, which is about 15 miles from here, we run into a rain storm. On Wednesday I had my first trip above the clouds. At 2000 feet we had a layer of clouds below and another above.

It's great to look down on a white bank of clouds from above with the sun shining on it. It is much nicer than from below. The whole country looks pretty too. Everything is laid out in orderly fashion and there appears to be no hills and hollows, although as a matter of fact, the whole plain is rolling land, slightly higher than its surroundings and from it we can see for miles all around. From the air of course, we can see much farther. Thursday was the only day I didn't get a flight, but had two on Friday, so my average is one per day. I have had 2 hours and 40 minutes in the air. Yesterday I was up for 40 minutes with a Sergeant who is a good instructor. I took the machine off the ground, flew it myself and made the landing myself after the most difficult things to do, so I feel I am making progress. I go up sometime in the A.M. I always get sick after each flight, but never any more after the second. I was sick the first time I have been up with him. I flew the bus and he stood behind me with a pair of controls. I have now had 3 hours in the air, so will soon be doing solos. After that we will move on to another Reserve squadrons and fly faster machines. These are all Maurice Farman's and Avro's (pronounced Avro) and very comfy. It was the first time I have been up with him. I flew the bus and he stood behind me with a pair of controls. I have now had 3 hours in the air, so will soon be doing solos. After that we will move on to another Reserve squadrons and fly faster machines. These are all Maurice Farman's and Avro's (pronounced Avro) and very comfy seven days a week and make use of all the good weather for flying. We get up at 6.30 a.m. and have breakfast and work on machine guns and signalling. I was greatly disappointed on my first trip. It was quite a new sensation, but there was absolutely no excitement about it. I felt as if I had been doing it all my life. There was a distinct novelty about it, though, which I enjoyed very much. I was not allowed into the machine as if I were getting on to a street car. I am much too old-showing in some way our superiority and youth, mental qualities and the esteem in which you are held by your colleagues, that is why they accept these simple gifts and hope they will serve to remind you of your friends and neighbors. Why I record you will now entirely sever your connection with us.

Acting in behalf of your friends and neighbors, Hilliard Brown, Melrose Burgs.

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One squeeze finishes a lemon, but it only gets a girl interested.

WAS GASSED AT CHEMICAL WORKS

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Mr. L. St. Thomas, an employe at the Hodgson Chemical Works, who was gassed on Monday afternoon, is reported by his physician as well on the road to complete recovery. He had a narrow escape, however. It appears that Mr. St. Thomas went into the cooling apartment to see if a day or two more would be sufficiently dry when he was overcome by the fumes. Not returning as soon as was expected, one of the employees investigated, and found him lying unconscious. It was thought at first that he was overcome by the fumes, and was hurriedly summoned, and on his arrival found that the man's body was dry, and he, too, at all appearances dead. Artificial respiration was resorted to, and he soon revived to the point to which he was removed to his home.

HEALTH ADVISOR OF MR. STRATTON

Hot Springs, Ark., March 12th—"Professor" Felge, a Hot Springs health instructor, who is a brother of the late Hon. J. R. Stratton, of Peterboro, Ont., when he died here, was again employed in the capacity of manslaughter. This is the third occasion of the kind in Felge's experience, the victim in this instance being a young Russian named Jacoby, who was undergoing the "starvation" treatment of the Felge class health builder.

Witnesses at the inquest testified that Felge told them they must go without food till their nails turned black and continue the treatment until their nails became white again, this being the indication that the poison was then out of their system. The Hot Springs Estes Commission posts in all public places here a list of registered physicians, and only those of any reputable school doctors are allowed the use of the baths, the hot springs being a part of the government reservation. Felge posed as a health instructor, not a doctor.

FENELON RESIDENT WAS REMEMBERED

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

A pleasing event took place a few days ago when a number of friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tamlin gathered at their home to tender congratulations and presents to the worthy couple. The presentation was made by Mrs. Jas. Tamlin gathered at their home and consisted of a handsome mantle clock, silver butter dish and amber pipe.

Mr. and Mrs. Tamlin:

We, your many friends and well wishers have gathered here hist evening to try and show you how much besides in mere words how you will be missed from our circle. As you are about to leave our community we felt we could not let you go without showing in some way our appreciation of your many good qualities and the esteem in which you are held by your neighbors. We hope that you accept these simple gifts and hope they will serve to remind you of your many friends and neighbors, by whom you will now entirely sever your connection with us.

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COAL MEN PROTEST TO GOVERNMENT

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

The Ontario Government's bill allowing municipalities to establish coal and food depots was criticized yesterday by a deputation of dealers who declared such a measure to be an intrusion of their rights, and unfair in certain respects. Mr. W. C. Mills, secretary of the Retail Merchants' Association, said that allowing municipalities to sell to dealers and retailers only opened the doors for municipalities to enter into competition with the retail trade. Dr. Hastings, Mr. H. A. Harrington, Secretary of the coal merchants' division of the association, and Mr. Gould the coal men said taxes on millions of dollars' worth of property, and if this bill went through it just meant that the coal men would go out of business and the taxes be lost. It was an exaggeration for the government to go into competition with the city, and it was absolutely unfair.

Ex-Alderman McBride thought the city had all it could do to run its own affairs.

Hon. W. D. McPherson promised that the complaint the retail men had made would be considered. Several municipalities had asked for the same thing and it had been thought best to put it in a general bill.

COMMISSIONER TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

At the meeting of Lindsay Presbytery in St. Andrew's Church on Monday, presided over by Rev. Mr. Lindsay, of Kirkfield, the call extended unanimously from the congregation of Sonyea, Manvers, and Uphill to Rev. John D. McKinnon, of Englehart, was considered and provisional arrangements were made for his induction in case call was accepted. Rev. Dr. Carrie, of Beaverton, will preside, and Rev. Mr. Lindsay, of Cannington-bridge will preach and Rev. Mr. Mains, of Elden (a former pastor of Sonyeo) will address the people.

The question of selling the old Presbyterian Church at Cambray came up and was appointed to Mr. Lindsay.

Mr. John D. Smith was appointed by the Presbytery as Commissioner from Lindsay Presbytery to the General Assembly in Montreal next June.

A resolution expressing the Presbytery's appreciation of the services of the late Alexander Jackson, and extending condolence to his family was unanimously adopted.

The usual reports—Sunday School, Statistical, etc., were also presented, all of which showed steady progress.

The next meeting of the Presbytery will be held at Elden in May.

GERMAN LABORER HAD DYNAMITE

On Monday a German working at Camp Borden was detected hiding four sticks of dynamite in a remote section of the camp. He was brought up before Col. Low and given speedy trial. He will be sent to one of the northern internment camps.—Exchange.

DELEGATES TO ORANGE GRAND LODGE

At a meeting of Lindsay District No. 2 Loyal Orange Lodge, held last night, Bro. D. D. Lockwood, District Recording Secretary, was appointed as delegate to the Grand Lodge of Ontario East, at Belleville on March 21.

Bro. P. Conquergood, W.M., L.O.L. No. 537, will represent that lodge while Bro. W. G. Barke, P.D.M., will also attend.

District Lodge decided to attend this year's Twelfth of July celebration at Fort Hope.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee, Woodville, Ont., desire to thank their many friends for their sympathy and kindness in their bereavement, in the loss of their son, Pte. Wm. G. Lee.

An ounce of keep-your-mouth-shut is better than a pound of sorry-you-spoke.

SATURDAY SEWERS' FEBRUARY SHIPMENT

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

The Saturday Sewers made the following shipment on Saturday: (a) To Field Comforts Department, 25 prs. socks and 10 housewives, (made and finished throughout by rds. J. D. Flavelle); (b) To Red Cross headquarters, 240 pillow cases, 21 sheets, 324 huck towels, 4432 bath towels, 12 wash cloths, 72 scultlon bandages, 452 T bandages, 72 capuline bandages, 120 triangles, 36 sl.rts, 36 pyjamas, 24 surgical shirts, 16 day shirts, 47 comfort shirts, 18 night shirts, 102 handkerchiefs, 72 tape sponges, 327 prs. socks, 93 vermin suits, A total of 5,416 articles, also 300 yds. gauze and 10 rolls of bandaging.

The committee for February were Miss Flavelle, (convenor), Miss Milne, Miss Jackson, Miss Hall, Miss Neville, Miss E. Beal, Miss Stewart.

Contributors for the month were, Mrs. J. E. Adams, Miss Horn, Miss Garbutt, Miss Handley, (R.R. No. 1) Mrs. Friend, Miss Bailey, Miss Smith, Mrs. Beason, Miss Milne, Mrs. McNeille, Miss A. Beal, Mrs. Edwards, Miss Hall, Miss Flavelle, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Flavelle, Miss Flavelle, Miss Flavelle, Miss H. Flavelle, Mrs. Edwards.

The distributing societies were: Golden Hour Club, Cambray W. I., Norland Sewing Circle, Cambray Ladies' Aid, Thorah Centre, Mrs. Franklin, Linden Valley W. I., Cameron W. I., Islay W. I.

The rooms are open every day from 3 to 5 during Lent and everyone is invited to call and work any or every afternoon. Old cotton is very much needed.

$100 FOR ONE HOG

Port Hope, March 12. — Monford Wilson, the well known drover and recve of Hope township, bought from Henry Hoover, a farmer living at Quay's Crossing, a hog weighing 805 pounds, for which he paid $100. It is a sow of the Yorkshire breed and is the largest seen by Mr. Wilson in thirty years' experience.

PROCEEDINGS OF MARIPOSA COUNCIL

Mariposa council proceedings, Saturday, March 10th, 1917.

The members were all present, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Nokes reports that he succeeded in getting a dumping ground at the north east corner of lot 9, in con. 9, one-half acre, for a term of twenty-five years for the sum of fifty dollars.

Mr. G. H. Mark succeeded in locating one at the south part of lot 16 in 12 west, Scugog, for $10 a year.

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OBITUARY

JOHN JACKSON.

The death took place this morning at the Ross Memorial Hospital of Mr. John Jackson, a resident of little Britain. The remains were sent to that Village to-day.

JOHN L. JUNKIN.

The death of John L. Junkin, a native of Pendleton Falls, took place in Kingston after a short illness. The deceased's remains were transferred to Pendleton Falls Monday.

FRED TAYLOR.

Bolsover, March 9.—The funeral of the late Fred Taylor was largely attended on Tuesday last. The Brethren of Bolsover L. O. L., of which he was a valued member, conducted the burial service. The sorrowing parents have the sympathy of the community in their loss.

MYRON SILVER.

Oakwood, March 14.—Mr. Charles Silver, of Lindsay, who has been visiting Mr. Thomas Nowry for the past few weeks, received word at the death of his brother, Myron Silver, at Portsmouth, and left for his home on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Silver was formerly a resident of Mariposa, where he made many warm friends, who regret to learn of his death.

JAMES HAYES

The death took place this morning at Bobcaygeon of a well known resident of that village, in the person of the late James Hayes. The deceased who formerly resided near Omemee, is an uncle of Mr. Ed. McConnell, of Lindsay. He moved to Bobcaygeon over forty years ago, and is survived by his wife.

JOHN SHANAHAN

John Shanahan, formerly of Peterboro and who has relatives in Ops and Emily, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Richard Regan, Toronto, Sunday night. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Thomas Cavanagh, of Eanismore, Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Boyle, of Toronto. He was a member of the Peterboro Branch C.O.F. The funeral will take place at St. Margaret's cemetery, Eanismore, on Thursday morning.

GEORGE CRAWFORD DOBBIN

George Crawford Dobbin died at the family residence, 211 Stewart-st., Peterboro, Monday morning, after an attack of pleuro-pneumonia. He was born in North Monaghan 74 years ago, and lived there until about a year ago, when he moved to the city. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Miss Alma, of Nicholls Hospital staff, and three sons, Heber, of this city, Millos of Lindsay and William of Pontypool.

ARTHUR HILL.

The sudden death on Wednesday last of Arthur Hill, son of Mr. Wm. Hill, of Manvers, came as a shock to many in this community. The deceased, who was about 34 years of age, and was well and favorably known in this district, was employed by Mr. W. F. Smitheram for the past two years. Until recently his father had been a resident of Fowles Corner neighborhood, where the deceased young man was a general favorite.

He was suddenly stricken with appendicitis, and his condition being too serious to allow of his removal to a hospital, an operation was performed at the house, from which he failed to rally, and passed away on Wednesday.

The family have the sympathy of the entire community, particularly as the elder brother died quite recently, which makes the bereavement unusually severe.

MRS. C. FOLEY.

On Wednesday, March 7th there passed away one of Carden's old and highly respected residents in the person of Mrs. Cornelius Foley. She leaves to mourn her loss a sorrowful husband, one son, Timothy and one daughter Marcia who reside at home. She is also survived by two brothers, Cornelius and Michael, of Victoria Road, and Daniel, of Michigan; also two sisters, Mrs. John Conway, of Eanismore, and Mrs. John Connelly, of Toronto.

The late Mrs. Foley was about 60 years of age. Her maiden name was Johanna Sullivan, and she was born in Peterboro County. For about 35 years she was a resident of Carden.

THOS. L. HAMLEY

A former resident of Pendleton Falls Mr. Thomas L. Hamley, passed from this life on Sunday, at the Nicholls Hospital, Peterboro, at the age of 41 years. He was a native of Cornwall, England, coming to this country about ten or twelve years ago. He was for nearly two years a resident of this village, and was connected with the Dymont-Meikle lumber company's operations here. As a member of the Methodist church choir, he was the esteem of a large circle of friends, who will regret to learn of his early and sudden death.

The funeral took place on Tuesday from the residence of Mr. C. Grylls, sr., of Lakefield, the remains being interred in Hillside cemetery.

W. J. HAWKS

The sad intelligence reached here a few days ago of the death at Oshawa on March 1st of Mr. W. J. Hawks, formerly of Pendleton Falls. He was a son of Mr and Mrs. John Hawks who lived here a number of years ago, and later removed to Oshawa. The deceased, who was 34 years of age, passed away after a brief illness, and is survived by his sorrowing wife, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Littleton, of Pendleton Falls; his father, mother and one brother, Hillyer, of Oshawa.

In sincere sympathy of their many friends in town and vicinity is extended to them in their bereavement.

MISS KATE CAMPBELL

Advocate—We regret to announce the death of Miss Kate Campbell, of Woodville, which occured on Sunday, March 4th, after an illness of some months. Miss Campbell will be greatly missed by a wide circle of friends and relatives who will mourn the loss of a bright and cheerful companion. Her death will be much felt by the Presbyterian congregation of which she was an active and earnest member, taking a deep interest in the work of the Sabbath School in which she was a teacher. She was an officer in the Women's Missionary Society and generally a faithful church worker. In the home circle she will be particularly missed, her bright and cheerful disposition endearing her to all with whom she came in contact.

THE LATE DR. GROSS

The funeral of the late Dr. Gross took place Sunday afternoon from the residence of Reeve R. L. McLean, Russell-st., to the Riverside cemetery. It was under Masonic auspices, and a large number of the brethren of Faithful Brethren Lodge A. F. & A. M. attended the solemn and impressive funeral services were held at the house in the presence of a large gathering of friends of the deceased, by Rev. F. H. McIntosh, of St. Andrew's church, and at the cemetery the beautiful impressive service of the Masonic Order was conducted by Bro. L. R. Knight, W. M. The pallbearers were Bros. John Crowe, Jas. B. Begg, Robert Nugent, D. Ray, T. C. Matchett, Dr. Vrooman.

MRS. RALPH WARD

Oakwood, March 14.—Mr. William James was called to Toronto on Saturday owing to the death of his sister, Mrs. Tryphena Ward, who died at the home of her daughter Mrs. H. S. Fry, Kimberside avenue, Toronto, on Sunday evening. Mrs. Ward was well known and highly respected by her many friends here. Mrs. Geo. Hicks and Miss Victoria James, her two sisters here, have the sympathy of their many friends, this being the fourth bereavement in the family in a short time.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Tryfina James Ward, widow of the late Ralph Ward, who died March 11 will be held in Arthur, Ont., Wednesday, afternoon. A private funeral service will be held at her late residence, 113 Bellwoods avenue, at 8 p. m. to-day.

Mrs. Ward was born in Devonshire, England, and came to Canada when four years old. She resided on a farm near Oakwood until her marriage in 1866, when she came to Toronto. Later Mr. and Mrs. Ward moved to Wellington county, where they lived until they retired from active life. Mr. Ward died in 1899. Mrs. Ward is survived by four daughters and three sons, also twenty-six children and great-grandchildren.

GEORGE DRAKE.

Advocate—There passed away at his home in Beaverton after a brief illness, George Drake in the advanced age of 83 years. The deceased came to this country when quite young with his parents from Devonshire, Eng., in best of his life, having been spent in this community. The last 30 or 40 years of his life were made quite sorrowful by a chronic form of Asthma. The deceased in active years was quite prominent in the industrial life of this community, being the proprietor of the then well known Thorah Pottery and brick yards and whose business interests made him a wide circle of patrons and acquaintances. He was also about the last survivor of a band of men closely identified with the early life of the Methodist Church in this community and liberally contributed of his means, time and energy towards the cause in Beaverton and vicinity.

The deceased's family consists of four daughters and three sons, the eldest George Drake, a C.P.R. Engineer at Scarleboro' Ont., John and James at Edmonton, Alta., Mrs. J. E. Depew at Sault Ste. Marie, Mrs. Black at Ottawa, Mrs. Phillip Veale, Thorah and Mrs. L. Lucas in Beaverton. Those with Mrs. Drake survive him; also a brother, John, of Los Angeles, Cal., and Mr. Kenneth Drake, of Rochester, who is also a half brother.

DEATHS

GROSS—At Lindsay, on Thursday, March 8th, 1917, Dr. W. H. Gross, aged 82 years and 2 months.

GREENAN—In Lindsay, on Saturday, March 10th, 1917, James Greenan, aged 79 years and 4 months.

JACKSON—In Lindsay, on Sunday, March 11, 1917, Alexander Jackson, in his 69th year.

AGNEW—In East Ops., on Wednesday, March 14th, Annie Roberts, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Agnew, aged 5 months and 14 days.

BIRTHS

PARKIN—At the Club House Hospital, Youngstown, Alta., on Wednesday, Feb. 28, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. William Parkin, a son.

PORTER—At East Oakwood, on March 7, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. David Porter, a daughter.

JAMES GREENAN

In the passing of Mr. James Greenan at the family residence, Glenelg-st. Sunday evening, one of the best known residents of this section passed to his eternal rest, after an illness extending over a couple of years. The deceased was born in the township of Ops, seventy-nine years ago, and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter Greenan, pioneer residents of the township. He resided in the township until about four years ago, when he took up residence in Lindsay.

The late Mr. Greenan was a man of exemplary character and sterling worth. He was the soul of honor, although of a retiring disposition. He was extremely popular and won the esteem and respect of a large circle of acquaintances, who will greatly regret his passing. He was a devout member of St. Mary's church, and his whole life was a benediction to all with whom he mingled.

At High Mass at St. Mary's church Monsignor Kenny paid a warm tribute to the exemplary life of the deceased.

The late Mr. Greenan is survived by his sorrowing wife (Anne Murphy), three sons, Messrs. Peter and Patrick, (Ops) and Joseph, of Toronto, seven daughters, Mrs. D. Farrell, of Ops township; Mrs. Michael O'Keefe, of Keene; Miss Julia, of Lindsay; Mrs. Fred Steinberg, and Misses Maud Greenan, of Chaplean; Sister Perpetua, of Parry Sound and Sister Helen, of Douglas, Ont., members of St. Joseph's Community.

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Talcum Powder, reg. 25c	12c	Men's Ties, reg. $4.50 for	$3.50
Ladies' Blouses for	49c	Men's Ties, 2 for	25c
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GRASS HILL

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. J. Staples was in Toronto for a few days last week.

Miss Mae Reed spent Friday in Woodville.

Roy Staples, of Orillia, is the guest of his parents.

Miss Lottie Vanstone was guest of Misses Lena and Ena Jewell on Sunday last.

Mr. J. Staples is supplying the farmers with a carload of fine coal.

Mr. Thomas Pinel spent Saturday in Lindsay.

LINDEN VALLEY

(Special to The Post.)

Mrs. M. Carr and little son, Frank, of Norland, spent a few days at her parents home, Mr. and Mrs. W. Sugden.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hancock entertained the Oakwood choir on Wednesday evening.

The wood cutters are in our neighborhood cutting wood and the busy hum of the saw makes music in our ears.

Mrs. Westerborne and Mrs. Kay, of Norland spent a few days at Mr. Wm. Sluggett's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hancock spent Monday at their cousin's, Mr. and Mrs. W. Deshane's, Little Britain.

Mrs. C. Coady is spending a few days with her son, Mr. Harold Coady, in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Netherton, of Little Britain, spent Monday at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Weldon's.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Rogers were married on Wednesday at Cannington.

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Mr. Jim Thorndike called at Mr. C. Coad's on Tuesday.

Mrs. E. R. Rogers had the misfortune to give her arm a serious burn, but at time of writing it is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Coad, of Oakwood, spent Tuesday at his sister's, Mrs. M. Rogers.

OMEMEE

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. A. Craig, of Cameron, was in town on business during the past week.

Miss L. Curry was the guest of the Misses Kells at Millbrook recently.

Mr. Frank Ford, of Peterboro was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ford, over the week end.

Miss Maude Laidley, of Lindsay, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Laidley.

Mr. Harry Tinsley, of Cavanville, was in town on business last week.

Miss Amy Adams, of Lornesville, visited her uncle, Mr. Howard Mullen, on Saturday last.

Mr. R. Grandy was a visitor to Lindsay on Saturday.

Mr. R. McWyll, of the Bank of Toronto staff, has been transferred to Barrie.

Mr. George Weir, of Harvey township was in town on business last week.

Mr. Fred Currie, of Brockville was in town on Monday to celebrate his mother's birthday.

Mr. MacPherson, of Lindsay, agent for the Sun Life Insurance, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lamb over Sunday.

Mrs. (Rev.) McLauchlin and son, of Bancroft, are the guests of the former's parents, Rev. T. W. and Mrs. Down.

Mr. Stanley Laidley, of Kirkfield, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Laidley over Sunday.

Mr. Stanley Sluggett was in Lindsay on business Saturday.

Capt. W. Thorne, of Kingston is home on a few days' leave of absence.

Mr. L. Southworth was the guest of Cunningham's on Sunday.

Mr. Albert Yelland is visiting his mother, Mrs. (Dr.) Yelland.

The members of the Adult Bible Class of the Methodist church intend holding an Irish social and debate. "Resolved that woman should follow the fashion of 1917," on Friday evening, March 16th.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bradley, of Dunsford, were the guests of the latter's father, Mrs. T. G. McConnell on Sunday.

Miss Hilda Clarke, nurse in training at the Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay, spent Monday the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Curry, who celebrated her 91rd birthday.

Miss Edna Bell, of Peterboro was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. Weldover Sunday.

Mr. J. Smith was in Lindsay on business Saturday.

Miss Pearl Rebill has returned to her home in Peterboro, after a pleasant visit with her cousins, Misses A. and L. Parsons.

Mrs. Jos. Sanderson is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. Jones, of Orillia.

Mrs. Mark, of Lindsay was the guest of Miss M. Davidson during the past week.

Mr. Leonard Sandy, of Youngstown, Ohio, accompanied by his mother and sister, Mrs. Larson, of Buffalo, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Williamson last week.

Miss Susan Wilson is visiting friends out of town.

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GIRL LOST LIFE SAVING HER DOG

Brighton, Mar. 13.—Trying to get a dog from the railway track on Saturday afternoon, Florence Holmes, 8 years of age, was struck and killed by the G.T.R. flyer. The body was hurled seventy-five feet. The dog had one leg cut off and was killed yesterday.

People who are very fond of company are not apt to be particular as to quality.

OAKWOOD

(Special to The Post)

Mrs. A. Laidley, of Lindsay spent a couple of days here during the week.

Mrs. J. B. Weldon spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. A. B. Sanderson at Peterboro recently.

The social evening held in the basement of the church on Friday evening was largely attended. A choice program was rendered consisting of a reading by Miss B. Dundas, a duet by Mrs. R. H. Deyman and Miss Florrie Armitage, a solo by Mr. Wilmot F. Webster, and a short address by Rev. J. U. Robins, pastor, and the report of the S. S. convention at Hamilton by Mr. David Harcus was much enjoyed. A contest was then held, which was presided over by Mr. A. L. Short, after which refreshments were served.

Mr. Wilmot F. Webster was in Little Britain on Friday, having charge of the funeral of the late John Jackson, who was well known here.

Misses Lizzie and Jessie Harcus are spending a week's holiday with friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gorrill entertained a large number of young people at their home on Friday evening last, when an enjoyable time was spent in music, games, etc.

Mr. Anthony McPherson, of Lindsay, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. T. Lavery, V. S., who has been assisting Dr. N. J. Stevens, V. S., for the past two weeks, left on Monday for Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gardner spent Sunday in Lindsay with his sister, Mrs. Nelson Pearce.

The social and concert in connection with the Mission Band was held in the basement of the church on Saturday afternoon. A good and enjoyable program was rendered by the members. We congratulate Miss Masula Mark on winning the prize for securing the largest number of new members. At the conclusion of the programme refreshments were served.

Mrs. W. E. Hungerford and Mrs. Williamson, of Lindsay visited our village on Wednesday and attended the meeting of the Women's Institute. We regret that the attendance at the meeting was small owing to the busy season.

The many friends of Mr. Thomas Nowry are pleased to hear that he is improving in health.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cornbell has been quite ill this week with pneumonia. We are pleased to hear that his condition is somewhat improved.

Miss Viola Richardson spent Monday in Lindsay.

Mr. C. O. Perrin left on Monday morning for New Liskeard, New Ontario, where he will buy grain for the Hogg & Lytle Co.

Messrs. Bonny & Rodman have sold two new Briscoe touring cars this week. Messrs. Edward McGrevie and W. Ewart Rogers being the purchasers.

Mrs. Harvey A. Boyce, of La Salette is spending a couple of weeks with her mother, Mrs. Mary Nokes.

Mr. W. Smith, C. O. inspector, of Toronto, visited our village on Monday.

Mr. John F. Cunnings and Mr. R. H. Deyman spent Tuesday afternoon in Little Britain.

Quite a number from here expect to attend the bazaar and play in Little Britain on Thursday and Friday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Hancock entertained the members of the choir at their home on Wednesday evenin, when a very enjoyable evening was spent.

The Mariposa township council held their regular meeting in the town hall on Saturday last.

Mrs. E. Bowes returned home on Monday after spending the winter with friends at Erie, Penn.

Mr. Will Campbell returned to Chicago on Monday after a pleasant visit with his sister, Mrs. Fred Avery.

Mr. Robert Sproule, of Cannington spent Sunday in our village.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O. Lane and Master Orville, of Kerrobert, Sask., left on Monday morning for their home, after spending the winter with friends here.

EATON CO. TO ERECT BIG CREAMERY

Trenton, March 13.—It is stated that Sir John Eaton, Toronto, has purchased several lots here and will erect a creamery on the property.

That a big demand for dairy butter has prompted the T. Eaton Company to purchase the land on Dundas street in Trenton, and to erect the creamery. The machinery for the factory has been purchased. Efforts will be made to have the farmers for two hundred miles in all directions from Trenton send their milk to the factory. All freight will be prepaid. While, only a small building, it is stated that it will be modern.

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FENELON FALLS

(Special to The Post.)

The regular meeting of the Women's Patriotic League met on Monday afternoon, March 12th at the home of Mrs. Maybee, Oak street. A large number attended, the chair being occupied by the president, Mrs. (Dr.) Gould. Devotional exercises were followed by the reading and adoption of the minutes of last meeting, after which the secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and approved. Mr. report of the working committee. These reports were satisfactory, and proved that the society is doing excellent work. One report showed that the Red Cross teas given on Saturday afternoons and evenings during the past nine weeks had been the means of realizing about $300. The sum of $59.20, the proceeds of the entertainment given by the young people of the Baptist church under the management of Mrs. W. Stevens, was donated to the society. A vote of thanks being tendered Mrs. Stevens on behalf of the League. It was decided that the entertainment be repeated on Monday evening, 19th inst, when half the proceeds would be given to the Patriotic League, the remainder to the Baptist Society, which are doing patriotic work. $19 was sent by Miss Bellingham, being the result of an entertainment given by the school at Pleasant Valley, where she is engaged as teacher. Collections for the day were $2.91. A motion carried that $25 be added to the Fund for Belgian Relief, also a motion was carried that the working committee purchase needful supplies to continue Red Cross work. The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem, to meet in two week sat the home of Mrs. W. J. Heard.

Miss Lelia Aitcheson, of Toronto, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Martin, this week.

Rev. H. G. Kingston spent Tuesday evening in Lindsay, where he delivered a missionary address.

Cecil Stanley Hills, of Lindsay, spent a few days in town this week.

Mrs. Robertson and Miss Mathle Robertson are in Toronto.

The patriotic entertainment given in Victoria Hall on Friday evening is to be repeated on Monday evening, March 19th, when those who were disappointed at not getting admission on Friday evening will have an opportunity afforded thee of attending.

Mr. R. W. Walsh, of Whitney, is spending a few weeks at the Falls.

Mrs. T. Baker spent a few days in Lindsay this week.

Miss Curtis, of the Bee Hive Farm, Verulam, was the guest of Miss S. Martin on Tuesday.

Quite a number from this village attended the patriotic concert held at Coboconk on Friday evening, amongst them being Miss Burtchell, the Misses Heard, Miss Gladys Farrell, Mr. Jas. Burtchell, Mr. Thompson, of the R.N.A., Toronto, Sergt. Hopkins, Sergt. Allin, the latter of Lindsay.

A patriotic concert in aid of the Canadian Red Cross was given on Friday evening, March 9th in Dickson's Hall, by the young people of the Baptist church, under the ublo leadership of Mrs. Wm. Stevens. The hall was filled to overflowing, many being turned away unable to find standing room. Rev. H. G. Kingston presided over the affair, and altogether the programme was a highly one, consisting of twenty-three numbers, the excellence of the performance throughout was such that the interest of the large audience was maintained from start to finish. Miss Doris Townley and Miss Mary Deyman responded to encores; also the young ladies who gave the bar bell drill, which was particularly good. The following numbers appeared on the programme:

Song by the young people—"Keep the Home Fires Burning."
Prayer—Madeline Arnold.
Chairman's remarks.
Recitation—Doris Agnes.
Solo—Maxine Arnold.
Recitation—"That Hired Girl"—Irene Brown.
Solo—Gertrude Deyman.
Reading—"Peace Without Victory"—Mrs. Palmer.
Drill by Boys—"The Awkward Squads."
Dialogue—"Aunt Prue."
Solo—Mary Deyman — "Home Sweet Home for You We're Fighting."
Dialogue—"Playing Doctor."
Flag Drill by Seven Girls.
Dialogue — "Two Old Ladies in Lodgings."
Solo—Miss Doris Townley.
Recitation—"Our Flag," by Bessie Lamb.
Selection by Symphony Orchestra.
Recitation—"The Drummer Boy of Shiloh"—Miss Girtie Holmes.
"Sailing Song," by fifteen girls.
Recitation—"Since Micky got Kilt in the War," by Mrs. W. Stevens.
Dialogue—"Goin' Somewhere."
Solo—"I Want to Kiss Papa Good Night," by Mary Deyman.
Bar bell drill by fifteen young ladies.
Good night song by ten little girls.

Votes of thanks were tendered Miss W. Maybee, accompanist, who performed her part most admirably; to Mrs. Mr. Kingstone, chairman, and to Mrs. Stevens, who trained the young people, and acted as stage manager. The entertainment closed with the singing of the National Anthem, the proceeds amounting to $59.20, which were donated by the W. P. L. for patriotic purposes.

LITTLE BRITAIN

(Special to The Post)

Messrs. Orville Heatlie and Claude Groves, of Toronto, spent Sunday at Mr. William Heatlie's.

Pte. Harry Jones, of Toronto visited friends here last week.

Mr. Fred Wooldridge, jr., returned to Lindsay on Monday to resume his position with W. G. Blair and Son, after spending the past few weeks at his home here.

Mr. Lewis Irwin, of Bowmanville, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Irwin, this week.

Pte. H. S. Spence spent a few days in Toronto last week.

Mr. E. O. Yerex and family are preparing to move to Toronto this week.

Mr. Walter Everson visited his home on Sunday.

Mr. Wilfred Hooper returned home last Saturday evening after spending the past two months in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Tamlin of Lindsay spent a few days at her home here this week.

A large number from here attended the party at Mr. Leslie Medland's last Friday evening.

Mr. W. G. Deshane spent a few days with friends and relatives at Oshawa and Toronto last week.

We are pleased to hear that Mrs. Richard Avery has regained her usual health again.

Mr. Clarence Sproule of Canning-ton, is in our village on Wednesday last, representing G. H. Woodward & Co.

Mr. M. Tinney returned to his home in Oakwood last week, after spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Samuel Hooper.

Mr. William Jackson of Buffalo, is renewing old acquaintances in our village.

We are pleased to hear that Mr. Wilmot Connor is able to be out again after being confined to his home for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cameron, jr., of Oakwood, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Heatlie.

Mr. Charles Dayton of the Dominion Arsenal, Lindsay, spent a couple of days at his home here this week.

Miss Nora Channon arrived in this vicinity last Friday evening from the west, and will reside at the home of Mr. Ed Wickett.

Mr. John Jackson passed away at the Ross Memorial Hospital in Lindsay last Thursday at the advanced age of 84 years. His remains were brought to the Methodist cemetery for interment.

Mr. and Mrs. Bentley Faulkner were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Rodman in Oakwood on Thursday last.

Miss Ethelwyn Dix is home from Oakwood at present on the sick list but we hope to see her out again soon.

Mr. John Connor is getting in a large number of shingle bolts, and intends to cut shingles this spring.

Rev. J. U. Robins and family have returned to their home at Oakwood, after spending several weeks with Mrs. Rev. Archer.

Mr. William Marrin arrived home last week hooking bolts and hearty after serving in the war for over two years. We welcome him back to our village.

We are pleased to note that Miss Mae Archer is now recovering nicely after a long and serious illness.

The remains of Mrs. Simeon Noble, Salem, were brought to the Christian cemetery for burial last Thursday. The Oddfellows journeyed to Lindsay on Monday evening, where they spent an enjoyable time. The hospitality they received while there could not be beaten. They now have nine new members from here, which speaks well for the I.O.O.F.

"After all, success is merely a matter of environment."

"As for example?"

"Why, the greatest surgeon might be a dismal failure operating on the Stock Exchange." — Boston Transcript.

Alex's Mother—"I suppose yer gettin' a good fee, sir, for attendin' the rich Smith boy?"

Doctor—"Well, yes, I get a pretty good fee, but why are you asking?"

Alex's Mother—"Well I 'ope yer won't forget that little Alex threw the brick that 'it 'im."

ADVERTISE IN THE POST

1860 | DUNDAS & FLAVELLES LIMITED | 1917

A Gala Showing of New Spring Wearables
Interesting New York Models

We are busily engaged daily in unpacking the New Spring Wearables-New Suits, New Coats, New Dresses, New Waists, New Millinery, New Suitings, New Dress Fabrics, Etc. The Styles this Season are most interesting The latest Models in Suits, Coats, Waists, Dresses, Hats which our buyers purchased during their recent visit to New York will surely delight you.

Come in and take a First Peep at These New Things as We Open Them Up

Our Great White Sale Moves Merrily Along--Supply Your Needs in Domestics and Lingerie Now.

The House of Quality
Dundas & Flavelles Limited

"Spring Overcoats"

For Men and Young Men, who appreciate style, quality and fit. Extra Special Values at $10

Solid patterns, mixtures and neat stripes. "Slip-on" models, single breasted, "Fly Front" models, sizes 33 to 46. On sale at each only **$10.**

"Spring Suits"

For the Men who Demand Service and Style.

We have just received and passed into stock the new models in Men's and Young Men's Suits at $10 and you will be very much surprised at the values they are in spite of rising costs of all raw materials. Models 2 button and 3 button cut with the new natural shoulder and long narrow lapels, sizes 32 to 44, in rich mixtures of Heather and Greys and plain Greys and Browns, all extra well tailored. Each only **$10**

WATCH US GROW

DON'T MISS OUR GREAT 15 DAYS

ANNIVERSARY SALE

Beginning Saturday, March 17th, at 8.30 a.m

Men's Wear Specials

98c—Men's Soft and Hard Hats; colors Blue, Black, Brown and Gray. Sizes 6½ to 7¾. Regular $2.00 values. Special during this sale, 98c.

$1.69—A five-pocket Worsted Pants, made with belt loops. Sizes 34 to 44. Regular $2.50 values. Special during this sale, $1.69.

$1.19—Men's Trousers. These are made of a good serviceable quality of Cottonade. Gray and Black stripe; well made. Sizes 32 to 44. Regular $1.75 values. Special, $1.19.

5c—75 dozen Men's Arrow brand Collars. Sizes 13 to 17. All styles and shapes. Regular 15c values. Special during our 15 Days' Anniversary Sale, 5c. Not more than 2 to a customer.

15c—Men's Can't Crack Collars. Sizes 13 to 17½. All styles and shapes. Regular 25c values. Special for our Big Anniversary Sale, 15c.
(Not more than 2 to a customer.)

Men's and Boys' Suits

$9.98—Men's Blue Serge Suits, made in the latest Spring and Summer styles. Sizes 36 to 44. Regular $15 values. Special during our 15 Days' Anniversary Sale, $9.98.

$5.98—Sizes 35 to 40, in Browns, Greys and Shadow Stripes. Two distinct and different patterns. Values from $8 to $10. Special during this Sale, $5.98.

$2.98—Boys' double breasted, Knee Pant Suits, ages from 9 to 16, in a heavy weight worsted goods, knickerbocker pants, $5.00 values, only $2.98.

$3.98—Another lot of different patterns, hard twisted worsteds. Regular $8.00 values, only $3.98.

$6.98—Splendid variety to select from consisting of the renowned Kenyon Mills Cassimeres; Greys and Browns, Diagonals, Millbrook Grey and Brown Worsted Stripes and Checks and Marris Cassimeres. Regular $12 to $15 values. Sale price $6.98.

Rubbers, Boots Shoes

$1.25—Men's Heavy Gum Rubbers. Sizes from 8 to 11. Regular $2.50 values. Special during our 15 Days' Anniversary Sale, $1.25.

$2.98—Men's Leather top heavy Rubbers. Guaranteed snag proof. Values from $4.50 to $5.00. Special during this Sale, $2.98.

69c—Men's Rubbers, Sizes from 5½ to 11. Regular $1.00 values. Special during this sale, 69c.

$1.98—Men's Heavy Working Boots, sizes 5 to 11. Regular $2.50 value. Sale price $1.98.

Bargains in Raincoats

$2.98—Special on Ladies' and Men's Raincoats, made of Grey Pormadow Water proof cloth. Colors Grey and Fawn. Sizes 34 to 44. Regular $5 to $6 values. Special during our 15 Days' Anniversary Sale, $2.98.

ONTARIO CLOTHING CO.

Opposite Benson House — KENT STREET, LINDSAY

What's Good Will? Easy!

It's the Customer's habit of coming back for More of the Same

Our Clothes Spell Good Will---Big because

Combining price—quality---style claim the friendship of the average man.

SUITS—priced $8.00 to $20.00
HATS—priced $1.50 $2.00 $2.50 $3.00
SHIRTS—priced $1.00 $1.50 $2.00
UNDERWEAR—priced 50c to $2.00

"DRESS UP"

ED. C. ARMSTRONG

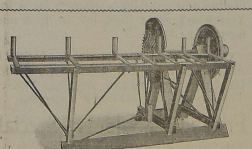
The Men's Wear Store

COLT PRESENTED SATURDAY SEWERS SOLD SATURDAY

"Florette," the handsome thoroughbred filly presented in the Saturday Sewers by Mr. Thos. Hodgson, will be sold at Fanning's Repository next Saturday. Mr. Fanning was very much only offered to sell the colt for the ladies during his sale and his kindness is greatly appreciated.

Every man who appreciates a well bred horse should be on hand to bid in the colt. The following is a description of this pretty filly: Name, "Florette." Description: Bay filly with three white anklets and strip on face, coming two years old. Sire, Sir John (2 1960; record 2.17 1-4, by Sir John (4625) by Cesar Gift (630) by Imported Lapidist (thoroughbred). 1st Dam, Mabel, sired by Royal Standard (2834) by Rockster (1891) 2nd Dam, Molly, sired by Crown Imperial (10134), record 2.27 1-2, by Imperial (10131) by Hambletonian (10). 3rd Dam, Molly, by Royal George (350), record 2.29, by Royal George (93) by Royal George (90), the founder of the Royal George family. 4th Dam, by Wagner, strictly thoroughbred.

This is a colt you will be proud to own. Be sure and attend Saturday's sale and bid on this parasite colt. By so doing you will materially assist the Saturday Sewers, a most commendable band of ladies who are working diligently for the boys at the front.



THE UNIVERSAL SAWING MACHINE

that cuts long poles as well as cord wood. No pulley or fly wheel in the way. Compare closely with other makes. All our machines have range in end of carriage not showing in cut. See samples at Jos. Deanis's, Lindsay. PRICE, WITHOUT SAW $23.00. Saws and Emery Wheels of all sizes and goods in stock. WRITE US.

THE W. H. JACKSON MFG. CO., Pickering, Ont.

(Cut this out for reference.)

OWNER IN BED AS HOUSE BURNS

Thomas Spencer, a farmer living in South township, Peterborough county, was ill in bed and alone in the house when fire broke out in the upper storey and it was only the timely arrival of neighbors which saved his life. The fire is supposed to have originated from a defective chimney, and the building was totally destroyed.

KEPT HER WORD

"So Edith married a farmer. And she always said she would only marry a man of culture."

"Well, she did — a man of agriculture."

J. SUTCLIFFE & SONS | QUALITY FIRST! CASH AND ONE PRICE | **J. SUTCLIFFE & SONS**

Keep in mind as an advance engagement Our Spring Millinery Opening Including the showing of advance Styles in Ready-to-Wear Garments

Commencing Wednesday, March 21st, and continuing throughout the balance of week.

This splendid showing will be of very special interest to the ladies of town and surrounding district because it will feature what fashions have said are correct for the coming season. While the styles will be authentic and give you an opportunity of studying them, yet we must add that no matter whether you favor something with a touch of quietness to it or something bordering on the more extreme, we will be able to please you nicely. We urge you to keep the above dates before you as an appointment for you and your friends.

These New Styles shown at this store

HOME FURNISHINGS

No doubt you will find time to pay this interesting part of our store a visit. A special showing of the very latest home furnishings, including Draperies, Curtain Materials, Rugs, Window Shades and Floor Coverings in general. By no means fail to spend some of your time in an educational visit to this section on Opening Days.

MEN'S WEAR DISPLAY

In the Men's Department we will have a very special display of new garments and furnishings for Boys, Youths and Men. We will feature many special prices as this will be the last big display in its present location as in a short while it will be moved to the Kent Street section.

NEW DRESS MATERIALS

It would be amiss if in passing we did not call your attention to this important section and what it will contribute to this opening display. In short, we may say that a very pleasing and well assorted showing of dress materials and colorings as are most favored for Spring wear.

The ELSMURE will be a good place. Just stay at Ready's before long.

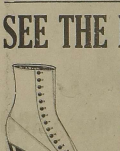
REST ROOMS

On the second floor for ladies—a good place to meet your friends.

J. Sutcliffe & Sons LINDSAY

..NEILL'S..

SEE THE NEW SPRING STYLES



Come in--come at your earliest convenience, and see for yourself how these New Spring designs in color, fabric and shape present the vogue of good footwear for the coming season.

Men's, Women's and Children's shoes in dependable leathers, on comfortable lasts, at prices that will ensure true economy for the whole family.

Men's styles 3.50 to 7.50
Women's styles 2.95 to 7.00
Children's styles 85c to 2.75

TRY OUR BOYS SHOES

We can save you money on your footwear

R. NEILL

Nine Stores in Canada

90 Kent-st. Lindsay

CANUCKS AND IRISH CHARGE WAS GLORIOUS TO BEHOLD

(From Monday's Daily.)

Mr. W. B. Hopkins, of Rolluetts, Phelan & Godfrey, Toronto, received among other papers and effects, the property of his brother, Capt. Lieut. H. B. Hopkins, formerly house surgeon at St. Michael's Hospital, who was killed while serving at the front with the 75th Howitzer Brigade, Royal Field Artillery, the following letter, which Captain Herbison (ad) commenced to write to an uncle a few days prior to his death. It was uncompleted, as it is the captain had been suddenly called away on professional duties:

"Our division was appointed to a sector well known to the staff as the strongest on that special hour, and no attempt was made to conceal this from our divisional staff. Orders of various calibre set to work to prepare the way and the boundary of gaps was darkening. Then the Irish opened the charge and the officers and the men led off as if on parade. It was a glorious sight to behold, and one could hardly watch it and keep still. The pace quickened, and when the enemy's trenches were in close range the gallant men quickened their pace to a charge. The first line was reached by Canadians, and although many paid the glorious sacrifice, the others pressed through to their objective, and that was not all; they overreached the expectations of the general staff, and when they re-formed their line they had done all and more than was asked in the orders for the day. These were the men who served six and a half months in the trenches without a withdrawal, and not much was expected after such wearied efforts. Sir Douglas Haig has expressed his praise. Those new chocks on the way now behind the British lines will bear the imprints of Irish feet.

CANADIANS TO THE FORE.

"It was my pleasure to inspect the German prisoners gained on that attack, and it looks count for anything, I would say they will never forget their ordeal with the soldiers from the Emerald Isle. It may be interesting to know that the Royal Canadians, as they are now called, will wear the maple leaf as their armpiece, were to be fore in this action, and are supposed to be one of the best regiments in the division. The same regiment made a name for itself in another sector on the front, and carried off many successful raids. You may ask what connection has the maple leaf to this Irish regiment, but its organization dates back to pre-war days. The commanding officer and his adjutant hold Canada as the land of their adoption, and the ranks contain many men who have spent a portion of their lives across the seas.

PRAISE FOR THE FRENCH.

"One soon cultivates a keen interest in Germany when in daily contact, and in the tactics in conjunction with the infantry and airmen. The German holds that the French have the perfect combination between those branches, and it has been my pleasure to witness the combination at work in a battle. We have much to learn from the gallant Poilu, who is so practical, self confident, with his love of care swing and natiring exercise. He never (at the present stage) seems discontented, but satisfied even in his drudgery and able for any event that may arise. Of course these are soldiers that have the experiences of Verdun to their credit, where the trenches were only ditches and every foot of ground was contested. It did seem strange to see the donkeys bear heavy packs to the trenches, but we soon found out how practical it was as horse transports could not reach the points where these animals found for difficulty, and labor was saved.

THE IRON GOD.

"I was struck at the large type of men which composed their regiments, and their apparent fitness and physique. Their morale is of the highest type, and why not? Have they not Verdun to their credit, and have they not pierced the German stronghold for five kilometers at one drive? The "Greegie" as a gunner is well known to the world, and his famous 75m.m. is a wonderful piece of ordnance. The ring of this gun with its compressed air buffer, is still freak in my ears, and it is the 'Iron god' behind the infantry. Of course it is not the gun for moving villages and towns. But they have ample heavy howitzers and guns.

CHALLENGE OF RED TIPS.

"Last--but not least, is their air service, and the Frenchman is proud of this branch of his war machinery. The temperament and nature of the average Frenchman makes him an excellent man in the air, and it is inspiring to see his plane sailing at 1,000 feet in the air and encouraging and giving news to his infantry in advance. Five thousand marks have been offered to the first German airman who brings down a famous French aviator. And this daring character has painted the tips of his wings red to give them an opportunity. This same individual floats his machine above opposition each day, and it is this spirit and daring nature that has led the French aviator to the foremost position in the aerial world."

WATERMAN'S IDEAL FOUNTAIN PENS

—write like "blue streaks."
—no scratching, no exasperating delays—just smooth, free, gliding motion
—fine medium and stub points.

—$2.50 to $5.25

—Just the gift for a soldier friend.

McCARTY'S Jewelry Store
The Bloodstone, the birthstone for March
Wedding Rings Marriage Licenses

EXPENSIVE DISCIPLINE

"Are you keeping Lent?"

"We're trying to, but at the price of potatoes this year, it's mighty hard to observe all the fast days properly."

SWEARING OFF

"Why are you so strong for prohibition?"

"Well," replied Uncle Bill Bottletop, "a country is a good deal like an individual. After havin' had liquor without limit for a period of years, it's a mighty good thing to go without for a while."—Washington Star.

AN EXPERT COOK

"How many ways can you serve meat?"

"Three, mum."

"What are they?"

"Well done, rare and raw."

SENSE OF JUSTICE

"That parrot I bought uses violent language."

"Lady," replied the dealer, "I won't deny that he does swear sometimes, but he has the credit for the fact that he doesn't drink or gamble."—Washington Star.

NERVOUS CHILDREN

The Trouble is Often Really St. Vitus Dance—Do Not Neglect It.

Many a child has been called awkward, has been punished in school for not keeping still or for dropping things when the trouble was really St. Vitus Dance. This disease may appear at any age, but is most common between the ages of six and fourteen years. It is caused by thin blood which fails to carry sufficient nourishment to teh nerves, and the child becomes restless and twitching of the muscels and jerking of the limbs and body follow. In severe cases the child is unable to hold anything or feed itself. St. Vitus Dance is cured by building up the blood. The most successful treatment is to remove the child from all special excitement, stop school work and give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills renew the blood supply, strengthen the nerves, and restore the child to perfect health. Here is proof of their power to cure: Mrs. S. Sharpe, Oakville, Ont., says: "When my daughter was nine years old she was attacked with St. Vitus Dance. She was sent to a sanitarium, where she remained for nine weeks without any benefit. Indeed when we brought her home she was as helpless as a baby. I got a supply of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and continued giving her half a pill after each meal for several months, when she had fully recovered, and has never had a symptom of the trouble since."

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

500 LITTLE WONDER RECORDS

for sale.

Hear them at the Fancy Goods Counter.

15c each

R. L. Morgan
DRUGGIST & OPTICIAN

Sale Mar. 17,'17

SEVEN MONTHS' CREDIT.

35 head of choice cattle of all kinds.

25 young cows, all guaranteed in calf.

7 choice Holsteins, all under seven.

6 springers, all due inside of two weeks.

2 Jersey, rising three, due March 20th.

1 Jersey 7 years old, due March 25th.

13 Ayrshire crossed with Holstein, all cows.

15 grass cattle expected, and one two.

5 calves, one year old, good condition.

6 horses, workers and drivers, consigned.

4 horse blankets, too good to sell.

2 sets single harness, double and stitched.

3 dozen rawhide whips, new.

50 halters expected, second hand.

1 set bobsleighs expected, second hand.

1 standard bred filly to be sold. Proceeds to go to Red Cross.

TERMS

Seven months' credit on cows and sixty days on horses will be given parties furnishing approved joint notes. A discount at rate of 7 per cent will be allowed on credit amounts of $15 and under cash.

W. A. FANNING, Prop. G. JACKSON, Auct.

LINDSAY'S NEW FLOUR AND FEED STORE

Lindsay's new flour and feed store (the Imperial Produce and Grain Co.) reports most gratifying business results since opening up. The store is situate at the corner of Kent and Lindsay-sts., and the owner is a busy scene each day with the incoming and output of produce.

The proprietors, Messrs. oberison & Padget, need no introduction to the people of Victoria County, and they are bound to receive a liberal share of the public patronage. Mr. Padget is well qualified for the business in which he has embarked, having had splendid experience by virtue of his connection with the Robin Hood Milling Co. for some years. The firm parted with his services with reluctance, as he was conceded to be one of the firm's most aggressive salesmen.

Mr. Robertson, the other member of the firm, is one of the best known residents of the county. He is a former Supt. of the County House of Refuge and the same enterprise business integrity and up-to-dateness will be prominent in its relations with the public as a member of the new firm.

The Post wishes Messrs. Robertson & Padget many years of business activity and success.

When you meet a famous man you usually wonder why he is so careless of his reputation as to go about letting people meet him.

LINDSAY MARKETS

Lindsay March 16th.

GRAIN QUOTATIONS

Bran—$2.05.
Barley—$1.10.
Buckwheat—$1.20.
Oats—85c.
Rye—$1.20.
Goose wheat—$1.40.
Wheat, spring—$1.40.
Wheat, fall—$1.73.
Shorts—$2.30.
Rolled oats—$4.00.
Flour, best Manitoba—$5.10.
Flour, best pastry—$4.55.

PRODUCE PRICES

Eggs—31c—32c.
Dairy butter—38c—40c.
Potatoes—$3.50.

CATTLE PRICES

Cattle—$7—$12.
Hogs—$14.75—$15.
Lambs—$11—$14.
Sheep—$7.00—$9.50.
Hides—$14—$16.
Wool, unwashed—36c—37c.
Wool, washed—40c—47c.

RETAIL PRODUCE MARKET

Following prices are being charged by Lindsay stores to the consumer:

Butter—45c.
Creamery—45c.
Eggs, strictly fresh—35c.
Potatoes—70c pk; $4.20 bag.

LINDSAY FARMERS' MARKET.

Following prices were received by farmers' wives at the Market Hall, Lindsay March 16th.

Eggs, strictly fresh—40c.
Butter—42c—45c.
Ducks—22c—25c
Chickens—25c.
Hens—15c—18c.
Geese—22c—25c.
Turkeys—25c—30c.
Cream—40c per qt.
Potatoes—$3.00 bag.
Hay—$13.
Straw—$13.
Straw—$5 load.
Cattle—$5—$10.

FOR SALE

FAM FOR SALE—Lot 18, con. 5, Eldon, 200 acres; 120 under cultivation; balance in timber and pasture; new barn, stone foundation; good house and buildings. Plowing done. Close to school and church; rural mail. A good opportunity to secure a first-class farm at reasonable price. Apply to Murdock Campbell, R. R. No. 5, Woodville, Ont.

AUCTION SALE NOTICE

THURSDAY, MARCH 22. — Farm stock and implements, the property of J. F. Brown, lot 21, con. 3, Mariposa. Sale at 12 o'clock. Peter Hawkins, auctioneer.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 56, Chapter 121, of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, that all persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Mary Ann Leary, late of the Township of Bexley in the County of Victoria, a married woman deceased, who died on or about the fifteenth day of January, 1917, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned solicitors for the executors of the will of the said deceased, on or before the twenty-fifth day of March, 1917, their names, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims duly verified and the nature of the security, if any, held by them. And, further, take notice that immediately after the twenty-fifth day of March, 1917, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received, and they shall not be liable for the distribution of the said estate or assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they had no notice at the time of distribution.

Dated at Lindsay, this 20th day of February, A.D. 1917.

MOORE & JACKSON,
Solicitors for the Executors.

Trombone For Sale $20.00. —

Trombone, B♭; trombone case, × as good as new; beginners book of instruction for $20.00. Apply ×

Box 387, Lindsay.

BROWN'S MUSIC STORE sells piano at $260 and up with 7 different makes from which to select. Also new and second hand organs and all other kinds of musical instruments together with books and sheet music of every class. Repairs and orders for goods promptly attended to.

KIRKFIELD MILLINERY OPENINGS

Kirkfield millinery openings will be held in Mr. Geo. Wilkins' store, conducted by Mrs. Ted Halward (nee) Olive Siher, of Cannington, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, March 27th, 28th and 29th. All the ladies of vicinity and surrounding country are cordially invited to attend. There will be on display all the newest shapes and trimmings for both ladies and children and at prices that will please everyone.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

FEBRUARY 19th

Toronto Cattle Market

Choice weighty steers...$10.75@$11.25
Do. medium 10.25 10.60
Butchers' choice handy 10.50 10.90
Do. good 10.00 10.40
Do. medium 9.50 9.90
Do. common 8.50 9.00
Butchers' choice cows.. 8.50 9.25
Do. good 8.00 8.40
Do. medium 6.50 7.00
Butcher bulls, choice.. 8.00 8.50
Do. good 7.00 7.75
Do. medium 6.00 6.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs. 8.25 8.75
Do. med., 800 to 900 lbs. 7.50 8.00
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs. 6.75 7.25
Cutters 5.50 6.25
Canners 4.50 5.25
Milkers, good to choice.85.00 100.00
Do. com. and med.. 45.00 90.00
Springers 55.00 115.00
Calves, veal, choice.... 14.00 14.50
Do. medium 10.00 12.00
Do. common 6.00 8.00
Do. grass 6.00 7.00
Do. heavy fat 7.50 8.00
Spring lambs, choice.... 13.50 15.25
Do. culls 10.00 12.00
Sheep, ewes, light 10.25 11.00
Do. heavy and bucks.. 8.00 9.00
Do. culls 4.00 7.00
Hogs, weighed off cars.. 15.75 15.90
Do. f.o.b. country 14.75 15.00

Toronto Grain Markets

Manitoba wheat—Track, bay ports. No. 1 northern, $2.07½; No. 2 northern, $1.94½; No. 3 northern, $1.91½; No. 4 wheat, $1.85½; all rail, 3c extra; delivered Montreal freights, No. 1 northern, $2.

Manitoba oats—All rail, delivered, ex. rail, C.W., point of entry, No. 2 C.W., 74c to 74c; No. 3 C.W., 71½c to 72c; extra No. 1, 71½c; No. 2, 69½c; No. 3, 67½c.

Manitoba barley—All rail, delivered, ex. rail, C.W., points of entry, No. 3 C.W., 74c to 74c; No. 4 C.W., 71½c to 72c; extra No. 1, 71½c; No. 2, 69½c; No. 3, 67½c.

American corn—No. 3 yellow, $1.20, subject to embargo.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, $1.81 to $1.82, according to freights outside; No. 3 winter, $1.78 to $1.81.

Ontario oats—According to freights outside; No. 3 white, 64c to 66c; No. 4 white, 62c to 64c.

Peas—No. 3, $2.50.

Barley—$1.25.

Buckwheat—$1.25.

Rye—No. 2, new, $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour—First patents in bags, delivered Toronto, $9.50; strong bakers', in jute, $9.10; Toronto, prompt shipment, according to freights, $8.90 to $9.10; Ontario, 90 per cent. export grade, bulk, seaboard.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered, Montreal freights: Shorts, $42; bran, $38; good feed flour, per bag, $2.70 to $2.80.

Hay—Track, Toronto, extra, No. 2, quoted at $12 to $11. Montreal prices: $9.50 to $9.

Cereals—Rolled oats, carlots, per bag of 90 lbs., $3.65; small lots, $3.90. In Montreal, standard, $3.90; in carlots, $4.15 in small lots.

East Buffalo Cattle

Cattle—Receipts, 40 cars; market, 25c higher; choice to prime shipping steers, $11.25 to $12; fair to good, $10 to $10.75; plain coarse, $9 to $9.60; Canadian shipping steers, $10 to $11; Canadian butcher steers and heifers, $8.50 to $9.50; yearlings, $10.50 to $11; best handy steers, $9.50 to $10.50; fair to good, $8.75 to $9.50; handy steers and heifers, mixed, $8.50 to $9; best light butcher steers, $8.25 to $8.75; western heifers, $8.50 to $9; best heavy fat cows, $8 to $9; butcher cows, $6.75 to $7.25; cutters, $6.50 to $6; canners, $4.50 to $6; fancy bulls, $8.25 to $8.75; butcher bulls, $7.25 to $8; common bulls, $6 to $6.50; best feeders, $7.50 to $8; best stockers, $7 to $7.50; light common, $6.50 to $6; milkers, and springers, $70 to $125.

Hogs—Receipts, 70 cars; steady; heavy, $15.50 to $15.90; yorkers, $15 to $15.25; pigs and lights, $13 to $14.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 40 cars; steady; top lambs, $15 to $15.25; yearlings, $13 to $13.75; wethers, $12 to $12.50; ewes, $11.50 to $12.50.

Calves—Receipts, 900; market, 50c lower; tops, $14; $11 to $13.50; culls, good, $12.50 to $13.25; fed calves, $5 to $6.50.

Wholesale Produce

Toronto wholesale prices to the trade:

Eggs—

New-laid, cartons ..... 40 to $ 41
Do. extras 42 43
Butter—
Creamery prints, fresh.. 45 46
Creamery prints, storage 42 43
Creamery solids 42 43
Choice dairy prints 38 39
Ordinary dairy prints .. 34 35
Bakers' 31 32
Cheese—New, large, fancy, twins, 27½c; June, large, 27¼c to 28c; twins, 28c to 28¼c.

Live Poultry—

Chicken, H. 24c 25c
Fowl, if fat 24c 25c
Chickens, ordinary 22c 23c
Fowl, ordinary 22c 23c
Ducks—Spring, choice, plump, 26c; prime, 25c; Canadian, hand picked, bushel, $7.50; prime, $6.75.

Meats—Wholesale

Toronto wholesale houses are quoting to the trade as follows:

Beef, forequarters ..... $13.50 to $15.00
Do. hindquarters 18.00 19.00
Canadian choice 16.00 16.50
Do. common 11.50 13.50
Veals, common 13.00 14.00
Do. medium 13.50 14.50
Do. prime 17.00 18.00
Heavy hogs 13.00 15.00
Light hogs 14.00 15.00
Abattoir hogs 20.00 20.50
Mutton, heavy 16.00 17.00
Do. light 14.00 18.00
Lambs, yearling 20.00 23.00

Chicago Livestock

Cattle—Receipts, 13,000; market strong. Native, $8.70 to $12.60; stockers and feeders, $6.75 to $9.65; cows and heifers, $3.70 to $10.65; calves, $9.75 to $12.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 54,000; market weak and 5c lower. Light, $14.20 to $14.85; mixed, $14.60 to $14.90; heavy, $14.30 to $14.85; rough, $14.30 to $14.60; pigs, $13.85 to $15.60; bulk of sales, $14.60 to $14.90.

Sheep—Receipts, 23,000; market weak. Native, $8.40 to $14.00; lambs, $13.50 to $16.75.

Money in the banks is influential—as long as it stays there.

OBITUARY

GOODBAND—KINNEE

Lakefield News: The home of Mrs. J. Goodband, Cameron, Ont., was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday, Feb. 28th, when her eldest daughter, Bertha Louise, was united in marriage to Mr. Peter Ritson Goodband, of Cameron. The bride was given away by her brother, Pte. George Goodband of the 93rd Batt. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Butler of Cambray. The bride looked charming in a dress of navy silk with her bridal veil caught up with orange blossoms. After congratulations the guests were the number of forty seated to decorated dining room where a delightful wedding dinner was partaken of. The bride received many beautiful and useful presents, among which was a purse from her brother, Pte. George, the bridal party drove to Fenelon Falls and took the train for Lakefield, where they will spend a few days in the groom's sister's Mrs. Samuel Slater, also his neice, Mrs. Allan Miller, Clarina. On their return they will spend a few days in Cameron, and will then leave for their home at Chauvin, Alberta.

DR. W. H. GROSS

The death occurred last evening at the residence of his mother-in-law, Mrs. T. L. Metcalf, of Dr. W. H. Gross, in the 82nd year of his age. Deceased had been ailing for many years of which were devoted to the practice of his profession and especially in the early days. Dr. P. Gross, of Brighton, the subject of this notice was born December 21st, 1835, at Consecon, Prince Edward County, on the Bay of Quinte, at that time one of the most prosperous villages in Upper Canada for the shipment of square timber to the British market. He distinctly remembered some of the stirring incidents of the Mackenzie rebellion, although but four years of age. About 1851 he removed with his family to Brighton, and when of school age was sent to the district and grammar schools of that time. In 1854 he went to Ohio and England with a traveller in the book and stationery business, but returned to Brighton on account of illness he returned to his home in Canada, passing the winter with his parents on the homestead. In the spring of 1857, he went to Iowa, and on the strength of his medical knowledge and study of dentistry, continuing his studies until the breaking out of the Civil War, when he responded to one of Lincoln's first calls for men and enlisted in an Iowa infantry regiment and served with distinction in the duties of the soldier, and given an appointment in the Quartermaster's branch of the service in Gen. Rosa's department, in which capacity he served at different places. He remained in the states in 1865 and again returned to Canada. In October, 1874, he came to Lindsay and in November, 1875, he was followed by 1876 by married Miss Bella McKay, second daughter of the late James McKay, Esq., Lindsay, and of this union two children were born, viz. Mrs. B. L. McLean, Lindsay; William P. Gross, of the Bank of Montreal, Vancouver, B.C.; and Mrs. A. J. Matthews, of Winnipeg.

Dr. Gross was a Presbyterian in religion, a member of St. Andrew's congregation, Lindsay, also clerk of the session for many years. He was probably the oldest Blue Lodge Mason in Lindsay, having joined the order in 1863. He was also a Royal Arch Mason, and assisted in organizing the Midland Chapter in Lindsay some years ago. He was respected by all over the country, at one time, and his many friends extend their sympathy to the bereaved family.

HYMENEAL

CAREW—HENRY

A wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Henry, Peterboro, on Tuesday, March 12th, when Mr. Stanley R. Henry, of 252nd Battalion, was united in matrimony to Miss Pearl Carew, of Burnt River. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. S. McMullin, of Peterboro, in the presence of Mrs. Jones and a few friends. Only the groom and bride were witnesses, and after the ceremony, which was attended by a very immediate relatives and friends, a dainty supper was served.

HYMENEAL

ANDERSON—BRIEN

On the evening of Wednesday, the 7th day of March, the home of Mr. Francis Brien, Riverview Farm, was the scene of a very pretty wedding, when his youngest daughter, Elizabeth Gertrude, was united in marriage to Mr. Samuel C. Anderson, of Omemee, Ontario. The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion and the ceremony, which was conducted by Rev. Father Brien, an uncle, assisted by the Baptist church, Lindsay, was performed beneath an artistically arranged arch of evergreens. At five o'clock the bride entered the drawing room on the arm of her father, to the strains of Lohengrin's bridal chorus, played by Miss Laura Brien. The bride, who was attended by Miss Lela V. Brien, cousin of the bride, was becomingly dressed in a beautiful gown of ivory sat draped with lace and with veil and trimmings of orange blossoms in her hair. The bridesmaid also looked lovely in a gown of cream voile daintily trimmed. Mr. Alton Anderson ably supported the groom. After the ceremony the bride and groom and guests were invited guests sat down to a dainty luncheon, following which an evening of games and music was spent, and enjoyed by all present. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold dress pin set with diamonds and pearls, to the bridesmaid a bar pin set with rubies, and to the groomsman a set of gold cuff links. The bride and couple was the recipient of many handsome and useful gifts, which testified to the esteem in which they are held by their friends. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will reside near Pontes' Corners, Ontario.

IN MEMORIAM

SAVILLE—In sad, but loving memory of Annie Saville, mother, Gertrude May Saville, and beloved wife of Pte. A. Saville, who passed away March 12th, 1915.

Just to show you are remembered,
Sorely missed and loved as well.
How our hearts are filled with yearning
Only those at home can tell.

Not dead to us. We love her dear,
Not lost, but gone before.
She lives with us in memory
And will for evermore.

THE FAMILY.

KIRKFIELD

(Special to The Post.

Denial: Dr. Neelands, dentist, Lindsay, will be at the Eldon Hotel, Victoria Road, on Wednesday, March 21, and Coboconk, Jackson's Hotel, Thursday.

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This should be a year of great production. In order to assist you, Flavelles Ltd. have ordered several cars of land plaster. To get advantage of the low freight rate your order should be placed at once. Freight rates are sure to advance.

COL. WILLIAMS AND COMPULSION

Calgary, Alta., March 13. — Lieut.-Col. Williams, chief recruiting officer, before leaving with his party for the east said that the enlistment in the local press, denying that he ever said conscription was coming. He further declared that the report of his party was warranted in making a similar statement. Col. Williams said he did speak to the effect that the voluntary system was on its last legs, and urged men to enlist and save Canada any compulsory measure.

STARVATION MAY END WAR IN 1917

London, March 13.—"This week end Europe is discussing nothing except the impending danger of famine throughout Germany, Austria and Teutonic powers alike.

In the French Parliament a solemn warning was given that Germany cannot produce enough food in 1917. Detailed statistics backed this declaration. In the British House of Lords it is the main topic. Can food stocks accumulated by Germany withstand the attacks? Sensational news from Germany telling how young and old are dying of hunger and starvation has been transmitted to the United States.

The connection between the food desperation in Germany and the reports from all military fronts seems to be that Germany is preparing a tremendous offensive, evidently goaded to desperation by her economic difficulties. Hope is increasing among the Entente allies that starvation will end the war this year.

WON PROMOTION ON THE FIELD

Capt. R. Picard, son of Mr. Joseph Picard, sr., of the LeBrun clothing store, Peterboro, and brother of Mrs. Geo. Pope, of Lindsay, was recently promoted on the field. He went over as a Lieutenant of the 41st Batt., of St. Catharines and Toronto, and was transferred to the 3rd Battalion. Capt. Picard is on the Ancre sector of the western front.

TIT FOR TAT

Mrs. Blank—We must have the Biggsbys to dinner. We owe them one.

Mr. Blank — Of course. We passed a wretchedly dull evening there, and it's nothing more than right that they should pass one here.

Of course you do. Good clothes are good credentials. They are the sign of SUCCESS. If you don't believe that well dressing pays' put on some old, shabby clothes and go strike a stranger for a job. You won't get a "look-in", so "look out" for your LOOKS.

Our clothes, which we sell you for a REASONABLE PRICE, will make you look Okay,' feel fine and help you get a "raise." Try it once; you will find it a sure bet.

Friday and Saturday Specials

Grand Clearance all our overcoats. Reg. 15.00, 18.00, 20.00, and 22.50

See these sure Extra special $7.50

1-50 and 1.75 Blue and White stripe overalls..... 98c

75 and 1.00 Negligee shirts soft or stiff cuffs, hurry for these 55c

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Lindsay Horse Fair

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Thursday, Mar. 29th

and afterwards the last Thursday of each month

There will be AT LEAST 50 BUYERS from all over the province to buy

All Classes of Horses and best prices given

Bring in your Horses without fail on that day.

LOCAL APPLICANTS FOR NAVAL SERVICE

Three local Collegiate Institute pupils, Messrs. Neil Gregory, Howard Alley and Wilton Gilsinan, have sent in their application to the Royal Naval Air Service. Lindsay is being well represented in the aerial service of the Empire.

LOCAL SOLDIERS ARRIVE IN QUEBEC

Among the thirty-four convalescents who will leave Quebec Thursday for Kingston, are Sergt. Major Allen, of the 109th and Sergt. Geo. Peppiatt, who has seen much fighting on the Western front.

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PASSING OF THE LATE A. JACKSON

(From Monday's Daily.)

Alexander Jackson is dead ! This mournful announcement carries with it more than the usual significance, for in his passing Lindsay loses one of its best citizens. It means the removal of a well known figure for many years associated with the life and development of this community. And an honorable part he played throughout his career both as a member of the legal fraternity and a citizen. He was always alive to the duties of his citizenship and never caused to take an intelligent interest in public affairs, both local and general. He had his views on public questions, and had expressed himself at times with emphasis and always with ability. Of the larger affairs of the nation, the empire and the world, he could always be trusted to have an intelligent opinion. Strongly as he might feel in regard to his own convictions, he had sufficient liberality of mind to respect the rights of others. He was a man of strong character, with a lively appreciation of the responsibilities of office and citizenship. He had no patience, and did not pretend to have any, with sham or duplicity, any more than actual crime, but in his personal relations he was sociable, kindly and courteous.

The deceased's record in the cause of education is known to every citizen. He served faithfully and zealously on the Board of Education for a number of years, without thought of other than the personal satisfaction that came from the consciousness of having done one's best. As police magistrate he displayed at all times excellent judgment in the decisions and tempered justice with mercy. As a churchman he was a devoted adherent of St. Andrew's, and an attendant at all its services. His religious convictions entered into his daily intercourse with his fellowmen, and he was recognized on all sides as one who wore the white flower of a spotless life.

The late Mr. Jackson was born in Scotland in 1849 and came with his parents to Canada when quite young. They settled in the township of Mariposa near Woodville for a short time, and afterwards in the northern part of township. The deceased received his early education in that township and afterwards took up the profession of teaching, in which he was eminently successful. He finally became a law student, entering Osgoode Hall, and after passing his examinations, came to Lindsay about forty years ago, and entered into partnership with the late Adam Hudspeth, a partnership which existed until the latter's demise. In 1904 he was appointed Police Magistrate, succeeding Police Magistrate Wm. Steers.

The late Mr. Jackson at the time of his death was a member of the law firm of Moore & Jackson, and notwithstanding his business activities, he was prominent in other spheres of action. He was a warm friend of education, and was for a number of years a member of the Board of Education, being chairman of it at the time of his death. Deceased was also one of the veteran members of St. Andrew's church, and was elder for over thirty years. He was also choirmaster for a considerable period of time and also filled the position of Sunday School Superintendent. He was a regular attendant at the church services until the illness which resulted in his death.

The late Mr. Jackson was also a close student of municipal affairs, and was for several years a member of the town council. He was also chairman of Finance Committee. He was also a member of the Police Commissioners up until the time that body was disbanded; and of Grampion Lodge Sons of Scotland.

The late Mr. Jackson succumbed to an attack of pneumonia after only eight days' illness. He was stricken with a chill on Saturday, March 3rd, and passed peacefully away Sunday evening.

The late Mr. Jackson is survived by his wife, one son, Niven, of Calgary, three daughters, Mary for Dean, and Bessie at home, and Florence, of the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto; also two brothers, Donald, of Woodville, and Lawrence in the West and two sisters, Mrs. Jas. Stewart, in the West and Mrs. Malcolm McCallum, of Beaverton.

The flags on the public buildings of the town are flying at half mast as a tribute to the memory of deceased.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the relatives in their sad bereavement.

JANETVILLE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE SESSION

(From Friday's Daily.)

The March meeting of the Janetville Women's Institute was held to-day at the home of Mrs. James Howe, with almost all members present. The President, Mrs. H. Hunter, opened the meeting as usual, after which the Secretary read the minutes of previous meeting, which were declared adopted. Business of the organization followed, it being mostly for Red Cross work. Mrs. Johnston gave a very good account of funds using for Red Cross work, with a good cash balance.

Mrs. Balfour read a splendid letter from Lady Hughes, of acknowledgment for the flowers sent from the Daughters of the Empire to the boys at the front.

A splendid reading entitled "Women Institutes," was given by Mrs. S. Stinson and much appreciated.

To-day we have our fall account of the Patriotic autograph quilt which was passed for at December meeting. Each lady who had a block did remarkably well, and we are in receipt from the late Friday night of a cheque, concert of the T. D. K. Club and donations on same, of $292.25. The institute is very thankful for same, and extended its kindly in our efforts.

Mrs. Watson, the 1st President of the Women Institute, read an excellent paper on "First Aid," which was enjoyed by all and well appreciated.

Mrs. Stinson favored us with a delightful piano solo.

Before the meeting adjourned for refreshments a vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Howe for her kindly hospitality, and also Mrs. Watson for her address, by Mrs. Laidly, seconded by Mrs. S. Stinson. Thanks is also due Mr. A. Wilson for material for candy.

April meeting is slated for Mrs. T. Stinson's.

LOCATED BEAR AND THREE CUBS

(From Friday's Daily.)

Mr. Ben Russell, of Dorset, had an unique experience with a mother bear and three of her cubs in a hollow tree, while working at Mickle's camp, Haliburton. The mother bear was despatched with a blow from an axe, and the three cubs were captured and are now at Hamilton Trout House. They are very young, and are being raised on nursing bottles.

AVOID PARTYISM IS BISHOP'S ADVICE

Peterboro, March 11th. — Bishop O'Brien, addressing a meeting here on Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the Otonabee Chapter, I. O. D. E., strongly advised that women in Ontario should not use the Municipal vote "The Responsibilities of Citizenship" were high duties of the community, he said, should be loyal to the Government. Obedience to law necessary, even though the law was unpalatable. His Lordship emphasized the view that religious and racial differences should not be considered in the selecting of candidates for Parliament. In summing up, he said: "Don't get in a wilful mood or your voting power will be a calamity."

PENALTY FOR FAILURE TO FILL CARDS

Winnipeg, March 10.—That the labor situation in Winnipeg is carefully arranged, and that there will be an adequate supply of labor for the harvest season, is the statement made last night by R. B. Bennett, Director General of National Service, Ottawa, who is here for the East.

He declined to state what the penalty would be for non-compliance with the Order-in-Council requiring the signing of the National Service registration cards, but admitted that at the last conference of directors of National Service, two recommendations had been made, viz., a penalty of $500 with the alternative of six months' imprisonment, or disfranchisement.

BAGDAD HAS FALLEN TO BRITISH CHIEF TURKISH CITY IN MESOPOTAMIA

London, March 11.—Major-General Frederick Stanley Maude, in command of the British forces in Mesopotamia, telegraphed today the welcome news for the British of the occupation early this morning of the city of Bagdad, the chief Turkish city in Mesopotamia, and formerly the capital of the Empire of the Caliphs.

No details of the capture have yet been received, General Maude's story of the operations carrying events only up to Saturday morning, when the British, after effecting a surprise crossing of the Diala and bridging the Tigris, had driven the Turks back to within three miles of Bagdad. It is probable, however, that the Turks have been unable to offer any serious resistance since the fall of Kut-el-Amara. They were said to be hastily summoning reinforcements from other theatres of the war, when the Turks were engaged, but the distance to be covered were so great that additional forces were unable to arrive in time to save the ancient city, which, after Mecca, occupies first place in the Mohammedan imagination.

REHABILITATE BRITISH PRESTIGE

The fall of Bagdad, besides ending German hopes of Near Eastern dominion, based on a Berlin-to-Bagdad railway, will reverberate throughout the Mohammedan Empires, and, it is believed here, will greatly rehabilitate British prestige in the Far East, damaged by the earlier loss of Kut-el-Amara.

Perhaps no more welcome news could come at a time when the British public for the first time, owing to the submarine warfare, is beginning to realize the shortage of food, and a greatly reduced poor supply, besides being thrown in a fit of depression by the revelations of the Irish agnelies report. Further news must be awaited before it is known whether the General Maude made prisoners captures of Turkish troops or guns either before or at Bagdad.

Apparently the retreat was effected without resistance, and won by slight losses. Even if the Turks succeeded in certain cases in their operations, the loss of Bagdad is a grave blow to them. Bagdad has been the headquarters for all Turkish operations in Persia. Up to within a few days the Turks occupied a front of 100 square miles of Persian territory, but with the Russians pressing them closely in Kermanshah, as well as from the direction of Erserum, indications point to a speedy junction of the British with the Russians, which will soon compel the Turkish evacuation of Persian territory.

BRITISH ADVANCE STORMY

During the day the following official report was received concerning the operations against Bagdad, carrying them up to Saturday morning, when the Turks had been forced back to within three miles west and southwest of the city:

"Our forces engaged with the enemy's rear guard yesterday, and the eight succeeded, despite the bright moonlight, in effecting a successful crossing of the Diala and establishing a strong position on the right bank thereof. Meanwhile, on the northern flank of the Tigris, after having been bridged at some distance down stream, a British detachment marched up the right bank, and found the enemy holding a position about six miles southwest of Bagdad. The enemy was very strongly in position to another position two miles in the rear. During the night of the ninth a separate of the Diala was forced and our troops advanced some four miles towards Bagdad.

"During the ninth our forces on the right bank (Tigris) drove the enemy from his second position, slowly sacking on the ground gained. This advantage, despite a blinding dust storm and a violent gale, was pressed on the morning of the tenth, the Turks being forced back to within three miles west and southwest of Bagdad."

FOE QUIT CTESIPHON RELUCTANTLY

The British troops on Thursday were within the Turkish lines. They were holding the Diala River line, six miles below Bagdad in some strength.

An official statement Saturday read:

"General Maude telegraphed that on the evening of March 7 our gunboats and cavalry had discovered the enemy holding the line of the Diala River. On the 8th our troops were engaged with the enemy, who held the above line in some strength.

30 PIECES OF SILVER FOR U. S. SENATOR

Jonesboro, Ark., March 10—Thirty citizens of Jonesboro contributed a silver dime each and presented Senator Kirbey, of Arkansas for his participation in the filibuster on President Wilson's armed ship bill.

The following letter accompanied the silver donation:

"If Judas Iscariot earned his, so have you. We, in the Kaiser's name, herewith enclose 30 pieces of silver, and add your name to the list of those who have worked for Das Fatherland, Auf Weidersehn."

FIXING BLAME FOR POTATO SHORTAGE

Ottawa, March 8.—That an embargo will be placed on the export of potatoes is improbable in the light of the information collected by the Minister of Agriculture. It is apparent that over and above what is required for domestic consumption and seed purposes there are two million bushels of potatoes in the country, whereas the average annual export is only slightly in excess of 1,100,000 bushels. The New Brunswick Potato Exchange, which has combatted the proposal of an embargo, and whose attitude is supported by the West Indian importers, has claimed that the quantities in the country are 2,400,000. The only place where there may be a shortage is in Ontario, and there, it is said, transportation facilities have something to do with it.

The question is what to do to bring down the prices, which rule around $7.50 a barrel. Investigations made by the commissioner of the cost of living so much indicated that the New Brunswick Exchange through which much of the upper province supplies come, is a combination that should be dissolved by the Attorney-General to a prosecution was asked and secured. The primary ground for the proposed prosecution, however, was failure by the potato people to answer the questions submitted by the Board of Trade, which done so in nearly every case. There has been no further action, but it is said to be under consideration.

W.H. STAPLES FATALLY INJURED

(From Friday's Daily.)

William Henry Staples, one of the most prominent farmers in Cavan township, was killed Friday.

Mr. Staples was felling a tree Friday morning, when the tree struck, inflicting a severe wound on his forehead and rendering him unconscious.

Dr. Eastwood, who was called to a mille from his home, to the woods and the man working with him had great difficulty in carrying him to his home. Dr. Eastwood was called, but all efforts to save him proved futile, the deceased never regaining consciousness. Mr. Staples' death will be a great loss to the community, in which he took great interest. He was a prominent resident of the Sunday School of Cavan Methodist church. Mr. J. F. Staples, of the same church, is a brother, and also a son of the deceased.

The funeral of the late W. H. Staples will be held on Tuesday at 1 p.m. from the late residence to the 7th concession of Cavan, near the C.P.R. station, to the Little Lake cemetery.

Deceased is survived by his wife, a second son of the late Samuel Staples, and a pioneer resident of Cavan township, and by three sons who fought himself with many projects undertaken for the general welfare of the community, and was widely recognized as a natural leader. In agricultural affairs he was especially prominent, and was quite well to do. He was sagacious in a township of efficient farmers. He had served the community as a member of the Cavan Council and for thirty years was superintendent of the Sunday school of the Cavanville Methodist church.

Mr. Staples was married to Miss Howden, daughter of the late Robert Howden, and is survived by his wife, his son Melville Staples, who was a prisoner in Germany for the past six months of the war, and two daughters, Muriel, of Winnipeg, and Elsie, who is a student at the Bowmanville Collegiate Institute; also by two brothers, Joseph, of Cavan, and Fred in Western Canada, and two sisters, Mrs. Samuel Purser, of Toronto, and Mrs. M. Sutton, of Cavan.

FILLED THE BILL

"Is dis where dey wants a boy?"

"If he but he must be a boy who never lies, swears or uses slang."

"Well, me brudder's a deaf mute. I send him 'round."—Topeka Journal.

A baby makes the home a happy place at times—and more so when it's asleep.

PROVINCE AND FOOD COMBINES

(From Friday's Daily.)

The province cannot take action in regard to food combines to enhance prices, according to a letter received from Attorney-General Lucas by Mayor Church, Toronto, Thursday morning. The Attorney-General says that the authority has been in effect repealed, and the proceedings must be under an order-in-council by the Dominion Government.

The department, he says, had no knowledge in regard to the laying of a complaint against the New Brunswick Potato Company, but on consulting the assistant Crown Attorney, it was ascertained that no evidence had been submitted to him as to an offence in Ontario, and the department could not step beyond its own jurisdiction.

BRITISH COMMONS WAS SCENE OF STORMY DEBATE ON HOME RULE

London, March 7.—The presentation by the Irish Nationalists in the house of commons this evening of a resolution calling for the immediate application of the home rule state to Ireland precipitated one of the most bitter discussion in months, and threw the home rule question back into its old state of uncertainty. The resolution forced the government into a declaration of policy towards self-government, namely, that any part of Ireland that wished home rule could have it, but that no coercion would be employed to compel those to accept it. At the same time the proposal drew from the Ulsterites the ultimatum that they would not accept, which, coupled with the government's pronouncement, effectually crushed all hopes for a united Ireland.

NTIONALISTS CONFER

The Nationalists, tonight, headed by their leader, John Redmond, were in conference, having withdrawn in a body from the house of commons, and Mr. Lloyd George was forming a new parliamentary situation since he assumed the premiership.

The scene in the house before the Nationalists left the house the premier had faced a whirlwind of angry censure from the Nationalist quarter, which at times forced him to take his seat because he could not make himself heard. He was told the Irish rebellion had transformed a friendly people into one filled with bitter hatred against Britain, and that this home rule should be put into operation immediately for the sake of Ireland, and in the interests of England, the empire and the allies.

Mr. O'Connor was followed by William Redmond, who also made a impassioned plea for a compromise between the Nationalists and Unionists, but down amid the applause of the house.

CONVALESCENT HOME AT BOBCAYGEON

(From Saturday's Daily.)

The Bobcaygeon Soldiers' Aid Committee at its last meeting discussed the advisability of again placing before the proper authorities the advantages of the vacant Royal Hotel and the Orr House, as convalescent home for returned soldiers, and a motion was unanimously carried requesting the president to communicate with Sir Edward Kemp, Minister of Militia on the subject.

MILLBROOK MAN'S NARROW ESCAPE

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Mr. Ed. McCurry had a narrow escape at the elevator on Wednesday a few days ago, which might have resulted more seriously. He was up on a ladder oiling a coupling which is situated outside the elevator, when his clothing at the shoulder in some manner became entangled in the shafting and lifted from the ladder. He was wound around the shafting until the belt was thrown off and in the same time he succeeded in getting the belt released which stopped the machinery and he fell to the ground from his none too comfortable position. Apart from a few bruises he is none the worse for his experience.

BOBCAYGEON NURSE AT SALONIKA

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Independent.—We are both pleased and proud to be able to publish this week, a portrait of Miss R. Robinson. It is hardly necessary to say that Miss Robinson is a daughter of Mr. William Robinson, the famous woodranger and well known resident of Bobcaygeon.

Miss Robinson received her training for a professional nurse at Ravenswood Hospital, Toronto. When war was made by the Britannic, the monster White Star liner that was later sunk by a mine in the Aegean Sea. Miss Robinson was attached to the Canadian Hospital which was located in the mountains, and Miss Robinson speaks with great interest of the large flocks of sheep and the quaint costumes and ways of the shepherds. They are now in Salonika where we are glad to know that in her last letter, dated the 23rd January, promised, she was quite well. She was has scattered many far from their homes, many gallant young men of a splendid type, and in a way which soon is, we believe, our only representative in the allied forces under General Sarrail's command, and in a work an'way doing as brave and self-sacrificing work as any soldier.

SELLS HEIRLOOM OUT OF PATRIOTISM

Smith's Falls, Ont., March 8.—Mr. Hurst, Mr. Byron L. Shaver, manager of D. F. Jamieson's dry goods store, who has had in his possession a handsome gold watch chain given him by his father, who dug the gold himself in the California gold fields in 1849 and had it made to his order, has given this valuable gift to the local Red Cross and Canadian Patriotic Fund.

He might have given money, but he wished to give something that would be valuable to some one. It will be disposed of by tickets at 50 cents each and the proceeds divided equally.

FATHER FOLEY'S SILVER JUBILEE

Rev. Father J. F. Foley, B. A., of London, editor of the Catholic Record, and brother of Mrs. John Fleury, of Lindsay, celebrated his silver jubilee, marking twenty-five years of his life as a priest, on March 6th.

Father Foley, who has been a frequent visitor to Lindsay, was born in Asphodel, Peterboro county, received his education at Ottawa University, from which he graduated in 1888 with the degree of B. A., during which he obtained his B. A. degree. He was ordained priest by Archbishop Cleary on June 11th, 1892, and he has devoted twenty years to work in the ministry, serving the Diocese of Ottawa for many years, St. Paul's, Ottawa; Farrelton, Que., and Fallowfield, Ont.

Father Foley has always taken a keen interest in educational matters, and he is recognized as one of the leading authorities in Canada on such matters. Amongst non-Catholics he is respected and admired for his great learning.

The Public Library Board of the City of London this year expressed their confidence in his sound judgment by making him their chairman.

FANCY PEAS

At the high prices we are paying we think it would pay you to sow a few acres. Call at our office and talk it over with us.

Those who have already placed their order can call and get their seed at any time as it is now ready.

We have still some of that Pea Chop for sale.

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Condensed advertisements of such a nature as Lost, Found, Situations Wanted or Vacant, To Rent, For Sale, etc., not exceeding one inch, will be inserted for 50 cents the first insertion; each additional insertion 25 cents. Terms: Invariably cash with order.

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LIQUOR ADVERTISING.

Several Conservative newspapers which a few months ago, capitalized at outraged public sentiment and announced that they would drop liquor advertising on the expiration of contracts, are still using their columns to nullify the effectiveness of prohibitory legislation. A number of these papers, like at the time Premier Hearst introduced his legislation, boldly proclaimed themselves opponents of the policy of the Government, but their actions have belied their professions. The argument advanced that they must carry out their contracts, may deceive a few, but to the majority of people of ordinary intelligence such subterfuge is taken cum grano salis. Thank God the number of papers in this category are few, and it is by no means to persist in lending their columns to a scheme to override public opinion as they will receive the condemnation which they richly deserve.

SEPARATION FROM THE COUNTY.

The question of separation from the county is at present engaging the attention of the town council, and judging from the opinions expressed on the street, there is a strong sentiment in favor of the proposition. The council, at its last meeting, appointed a committee to confer with a committee from the Board of Trade, for the purpose of collecting data for presentation to the people.

If there are factors other than mere sentiment in favor of separation, these should be carefully gathered, for it can be shown that the municipality will derive financial benefit by divorcing from the county, the proposition will undoubtedly be endorsed when submitted to the people.

The joint committee should lose no time in getting down to work and compiling data. The opposition is an important one, and must be seriously considered in all its phases. We have every confidence in the ability of the individual members of the committee that they will justify their appointment by giving the public the information they desire.

MOTORISTS AND GOOD ROADS.

The Collingwood Bulletin points out that last year motorists contributed $150,000, all of which went towards good roads in the country. As pointed out by President Waselook of the Ontario Good Roads Association, while the owner of a $10,000 farm was taxed $15 per year for a county road system, the owner of an auto, ranging from $500 to $3,000, paid $10 to $30 per year. It would therefore seem that motorists had not only some interest in the improvement of the highways, but some rights thereon.

When W. A. McLean, Deputy Minister of Highways, spoke in Lindsay recently, Ald. Chambers asked him why the government did not return motorists' fees to the municipalities from which these came. Mr. McLean said the suggestion was impossible because the motorists were not restricted in the use of the roads in any municipality, and the tax was imposed for the purpose of distributing the cost of roads all over the province.

Hon. Mr. Macdiarmid, speaking at the recent meeting of the Good Roads Association in Toronto, went further and said that if such a policy were advocated, endorsed or supported by any large body of public opinion, it would jeopardize and imperil the whole good roads movement in the province.

THE PATRONAGE EVIL.

Every government seems to have some particular evil, and one of the most cherished affections of the Ontario government seems to be the patronage system. Year after year public opinion has been calling for the abolition of this system, but the government persistently refused to consult it. The Provincial, K.C., M.P.P., for Centre Huron, and Samuel Carter, M.P.P., for North Wentworth, have on several occasions this year to introduce the resolution and to lead the debate against the patronage system, but the government once more rejected their advice. Two specific examples of the baneful results of the patronage system as carried on by the Ontario government, developed in the debates on this and other subjects.

First, there was the case recalled by Mr. Carter, where a government worker for the Conservative party in Elginhah at the time of the general election in 1911 was put on the pay roll of the road gang for a vote was properly eligible for registration, whereas he really lived in Guelph. The man who had taken this gentleman's vote in Elgin, one Sullivan was arrested and admitted before the judge that he had been "rewarded" for his services by the secretary of $35 a week, which Mr. Carter says is an illuminating example of patronage run to seed.

Mr. Carter also told of some guards at the Guelph Prison Farm who were illegally to vote in the election of 1914; when the matter came out they were dismissed from the government, but were re-employed soon after.

Scott Davidson, M.P.P., for North Grey, pointed out how farmers employed and paid by the Ontario government who spent the whole month of June, July and August have been on pay roll on his work, in electioneering for the Conservative party in Paris. The government in answer to questions, has denied this, but Mr. Davidson from first-hand experience and from the affidavits of many of the men and late government employee had been absent from their work and had been electioneering in Paris during the period specified by him.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The man with the hoe promises to be reduced to extinction.

Grills opened its handsome new town hall this week with imposing ceremonies. Lindsay will open its improved municipal building—when?

The town council some weeks ago appointed a committee to look into the building bylaw, but the measure has not yet been introduced. The building bylaw is a necessity and the speed the owner of a $10,000 farm was taxed

Sunlight Soap has a high standard of purity which is backed by a $5,000 guarantee. If a soap has no standard there is no reason why it should always be of uniform quality, always contain the best materials or be anything like as good as the soap *with* a standard.

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It is to be hoped the town council will not let the question of the collection of poll tax end in words. The money so due to his grace "unwept, unhonored and unsung."

The violent scenes enacted in the British House of Commons on the 19th of January are to be regretted. The differences existing between the people of the North and South of Ireland are born of hate and distrust and some politicians in the Green Isle are doing their utmost to keep the people apart.

MAJOR THOMPSON WILL BE O.C,

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Kingston Standard: It is understood that Maj. Thompson, who has been temporarily placed in command of the 252nd Battalion, at Lindsay, succeeding Lieut.-Col. Glass, will be permanently appointed as O. C. of this unit. Since taking over the duties of his temporary appointment, Major Thompson has given excellent satisfaction and the authorities feel that they would make no mistake in placing him in permanent command.

AMERICANS BOOST FISH PRICE HERE

Ottawa, March 6.—The exceedingly high cost of fish and the great scarcity is not due to the war, as is generally thought, but more to the influence brought on the fish markets by the big American firms. This is the opinion of Prof. E. E. Prince, Commissioner of Fisheries. He said it would be a great surprise to know that scarcely a Canadian fishery markets are controlled by American firms.

CANNINGTON

(Special to The Post.)

Mrs. C. F. Bick attended the late Miss Katie Campbell's funeral at Woodville on Tuesday.

Mrs. Mellroys is on the sick list in Toronto. Her Cannington friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Foster and Miss Helen Dobson in Beaverton on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Reid, Dr. and Mrs. Sanderson, Mrs. J. Hodgson, Mr. J. Hodgson and Mr. Morgan, of Toronto attended the funeral of the late Mrs. McEachern on Friday.

Miss Ruth Bick of Scarboro spent the week-end at home.

Miss Marie Brown left last week to take a position in Toronto.

Miss Louise Hayes entertained a number of young people to a snowshoe party on Friday evening.

Mrs. McNabb is visiting her daughter, Mrs. McFarlane.

Mrs. Wm. Amey is on the sick list at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Cameron, Oakwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Foster and son Ivan, spent Sunday at their home at Raltrum, Sask., after spending the winter at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dobson. Miss Helen Dobson and Miss Ethel Dawson accompanied them as far as Toronto.

Mrs. J. Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Rynard of Udora visited Mrs. Tom Kennedy on Tuesday.

Mrs. Asa Southworth, of Omemee, is in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Hamilton on Wednesday, Feb. 28th, Martha Sinclair, beloved wife of Duncan McEachern, aged 77 years. The funeral took place on Friday, March 2nd, at 2 p. m. to Necropolis cemetery. Private.

Mrs. T. Agge visiting friends in Toronto.

Rumor has it another wedding in the near future.

Miss McGrimmon, of Mariposa, visited her cousin, Miss J. McCrimmon of Cobbs.

Corp. Harold Francis spent the week-end in town.

Mr. Percy Rush left on Saturday for Sask., to spend the summer with W. A. Foster.

Mrs. Hemmingford, sr., is visiting friends at Little Britain.

Mrs. Henderson, of Toronto, is visiting for a time with Mrs. Jackson.

SNOW AND SLEET BLOCKED TRAFFIC

The 10.50 a. m. G.T.R. train which was stalled between Uxbridge and Goodwood on Friday did not reach Lindsay station for over three hours before 5 p. m. The passengers who got off at Lindsay report that the train after leaving Goodwood encountered a wall of snow which barred the way and which was almost as high as the engine. The train was therefore backed back to Goodwood and wired for assistance, and some of the passengers came on to Lindsay by the auto. The work of clearing the track. To add to the situation ice had formed on the rails to such an extent that it was found necessary to do considerable chipping. The passengers took matters in a very philosophical spirit, but were considerably relieved when the track was finally cleared.

Word from Uxbridge stated that snow was sent out from Lindsay, but when near Ops station it broke down, blocking the line. As a result the 10.50 a. m. train as well as the 8.10 p. m. which was several hours late, had to come around by Lake Scugog.

It was certainly a bad day for the G.T.R. on this Division.

Word was received in Toronto in reference to the storm conditions on Friday said:—

"Snow and sleet tied up the railways in the north, east and western districts of Ontario during the night and also during the forenoon. Trains were stalled and passenger trains held up. The Pembroke branch of the G.T.R. was completely blocked with snow. Between Hamilton and Baden the London train for Toronto was behind a snow plough, and the freight train and was not expected to reach Toronto until some time this afternoon. Advice from the east stated that the Midland train was in the same condition between Uxbridge and Goodwood and the difficulty was also a traffic official. "We cannot get men to dig these trains out of the snow banks."

"The storm in northern Ontario last night was the worst of the season."

CAN'T DODGE 'EM

"Don't you find it hard these times to meet expenses?"

"Hard? Man live, I meet expenses at every turn!" — Boston Transcript.

Cohen—"So Sadie has broken her engagement. Did she git you back during?"

Solomonski—"No, she said diamonds had gone up, but she would gif me vat I baid for it."

EASTER EXCURSIONS BARRED THIS YEAR

Ottawa, March 13.—There will be no Easter excursion or special Easter rates this year. The Eastern Canadian Passenger Association after consultation with Sir Henry Drayton in view of the general railway situation and the war conditions has decided to cancel rates and excursions this year. This will help the railways in their efforts to meet the shortage and freight congestion. It will greatly restrict travelling, which is usually very heavy in the Easter season. In addition it will tend to keep money in Canada as ordinarily thousands of Canadians from Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto and other cities visit New York at Easter to participate in the fifth avenue parade. Last year four special trains from Ottawa, each with more than a dozen loaded Pullmans, went to New York at Easter.

The only special rates which will be permitted will be to students and commercial travellers.

In addition to prohibition of excursion trains the railways are not permitted to run any special trains except for the moving of troops. The Canadian Hockey Club of Montreal applied for a special train to the Ottawas for the final hockey championship game tonight, but found it impossible to get the resolution which the Railway Commission strongly insists upon.

MONTHLY HORSE FAIR FOR LINDSAY

(From Monday's Daily.)

Messrs. W. J. Bailie and George Williamson, of Toronto, are in town this week in connection with inaugurating the council and business men with a view to organizing a monthly horse fair for Lindsay.

The idea of this fair is to bring horse buyers and owners together monthly, and in this manner a ready sale and sold. They anticipate that about 150 horses could be disposed of at these monthly affairs, and they would ask permission to use the main street for the parade of the animals. No charge would be made for space held at different points, and it is claimed by the gentlemen referred to that the scheme would prove valuable to the farmers disposed of their horses at good prices, but the merchants would greatly benefit as large numbers attracted by the monthly event.

Messrs. Bailie and Williamson had been in communication with Reeve McLean in the past few days, and as a result of their visit here today decided to hold a local fair on the last Thursday of each month, the first one being held on April 29th.

BELIEVED DEAD BUT NOW LIVES

Omemee, March 7.—A peculiar case is the following: At Christmas a family from Toronto named Bennett moved here. The children took the whooping cough and for the last two weeks two of them have been very ill and nearly died. The grandfather, George Neo, received a telegram that Harrington, a boy of the family, had died of pneumonia. Mr. Neo immediately took the train for Toronto, and shortly after his arrival here a little girl died. Another boy is still very ill.

Several days after the first message was received from Toronto named Bennett, stating

SILVER SLIPPERS

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Then the maize came down the ear knoll at a swinging trot; the shaggy jacket then to a standstill in front of the bunk-house, and he was in the car amied pleasantly upon Hard Ross and winked him an audible good-morning. The boy, at the sight of saw, saddled swiftly and rode back to the bunk-house to gaze upon the newcomer.

The newcomer smiled upon them all and got down. He has an the "earmarks of a dirty boy," as the first place he wore a stiff hat, a derby. Then he wore nose-glasses. Then he was dressed in patent flea, in neatly tailored and pressed grey suit, in new tan gloves. A flashy red, newly bought in White Rock, was tied in upward like a mast; a rifle in brand new case stood in the corner of the tonneau, there were sunbeams on the traveling-bags innumerable. These things the cowboys saw before they saw the man himself.

Then the man under the clothes. He looked insignificant as he sat in his automobile, but on the ground, standing upon legs from which he strove to drive the cramp and stiffness, it appeared that he was a tall, slender, not ungraceful young fellow of perhaps twenty-five or thirty, who might have posed with credit in the rooms of Kattenheimer's Swell Suits which decorated the sign-boards just outside of White Rock.

One hand came out of its tan glove and showed soft and white. There was a smudge on the back of the hand, and fore-finger which Ross was quick to see and which caused another disgusted grunt.

He was close shaven, had shaved that day, and he smiled as he gave his vest, a high white collar of the latest fashion, just like the Kattenheimer Swell Suits. Above the collar was a red bird-like, a diamond stickpin. His eyes were a soft brown, filled with much mild curiosity as they paused upon Hard Ross to the rest of the boys.

"Which one of you men is Mr. Ross?" he said when the cowboys had stares and still tongues greeted his arrival.

"I am," answered Ross shortly. "What do you want?"

The young man offered his hand and his name together.

"I'm Mr. Sherrod," he added a smile he has used effectively. "I've come to stay with you a while."

There was no glad hospitality in Hard Ross's stiff. He had enough enough already. But the young man ran on quickly, drawing back his hand from the silent Ross as he found nobody to give him, and wiping it upon a piece of white linen.

"I've brought you a letter from Mr. Hodges." He felt in his pockets, seem ed of sundry pattings, and said, "I'm afraid I've lost it—no," with his hearing smile coming back. "There it is" And he handed it to Ross.

Ross took it swiftly, a little angrily, his sole thought that this young whipper-snapper was some friend of Mr. Hodges, the owner of the Up and Down, and that the letter was asking Ross to make his stay a pleasant one, to have one of the boys show him where the best trouting was, and that he found, to point out the likely places for deer, to watch over him so that he didn't fall off a cliff some day and get a crop into one of the little lakes and drown. And what Hard Ross read was this:

Dear Ross,—This will inform you that I have sold the Up and Down, brand and all, to Sol Jones, and to him this will introduce you.

D. M. Hodges.

Hard Ross's comment was brief, characteristic, and perhaps all that could be expected. He jabbed the letter into his hand to the touring car, to the man who had handed it to him, and said explosively:

"Well, I'll be——"

One would have said that young Mr. Sherrod in some way felt that Ross was warranted not to come off. He lifted the eyebrows, adjusted his glasses, and beamed.

"Something of a surprise, eh?" he chuckled. "Well, well, so it is. I'm very good fellow. But I had a pile of money, you know, and I was dazed well tired of not doing a thing, and so I thought I'd have a try at it. Say, it's great out here, isn't it? And all this is going, also. The whole outfit, those cows over yonder, the cliffs, the view and all? I'm going to have a little time of my life. I say, Ross, give this other fellow a hand with my trunks there's a good fellow. Then tell the cook's got some coffee and biscuits and eggs? I'll run in and have a mouthful. I rode all night." He looked over his shoulder as he turned to the bunk-house door. "I wanted to get here before the men went to work. You men wait until I come out. You take your orders from me, you know."

For a moment there was a silence as Mr. Sherrod disappeared in search

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WALTER J. MARRIOTT.

50c. a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size, 25c. At dealers or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

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Women who are well often ask "Are the letters which the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. are continually publishing, genuine?" "Are they truthful?" "Why do women write them?" "What is to answer we say that never have we published a fictitious letter or name. Every letter we have published is an untruthful letter, or one without the full and written consent of the woman who wrote it.

The reason that thousands of women from all parts of the country write such grateful letters to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. is that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has brought health and happiness into their lives, restored them to health and suffering.

It has relieved women from some of the worst troubles to which they are liable, displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, nervousness, faintness, indigestion, backache and the blues.

It is impossible for any woman who is well to understand what those women have suffered before they could be induced to realize how thankful they were when men feel when restored to health and strength those who are suffering as they did.

busy with his cigaret building.

"I'm going to ride over to the bunk-house," Mr. Sherrod was directing himself of his outer clothing as he stepped into the room. "I want to pay results of the Behind-the-Footlights-Cowboy costume. "I'm going to ride over and get the mail. I'll be back this morning." He jerked on his snow-white chaps, and buckled his belt about his waist. "I'll be back in time to lunch in its new holster at each hip. "The first thing will be a horse. Say, Ross, I'll take that roan mare you were on. I ranch that—or that is full of life and all that and yet that—or that a man can handle. That won't go to bucking, you know?"

Hard Ross's first thought had been that this man was just resting a bored golden upon the world that he might ride and while Mr. Sherrod was devoting himself to the task of painstakingly tying the drilling of little knots in the assumption at a respectful distance from the scene of his operations, Ross pulled pine-tree that Bull Plummer rode up to the bunk-house.

It was too early for the men to have come home from work. Only the cook, Sunny Harper, and Cookie, busy at his stove, were in camp.

Sunny Harper, very joyous over the spectacle of the target-shooting and the cold which he was doctoring with a big dose of whisky from the bottle which Mr. Sherrod had "passed out," saw Bull Plummer ride up to the corral fence in a great gallop, and, shouting with many oaths, hailed him. Bull Plummer rode up to the bunk-house.

"Where's the boss?" he demanded, and saw that the cook had gone down to the outhouse for something, and went himself in search of the boss. "I'll take this morning, Ross. I want you to forget it. Will you—do you ever drink anything?"

"I ain't ever missed the chance," grinned Ross. "Not since I was ten."

"Then after breakfast—you don't mind that?"

"There's just three times a man don't drink," Ross was explaining when Bull Plummer's head appeared from his gravely. "One is before meals, one in durin' meals an' the other is between meals. Which one will it be?"

Mr. Sherrod laughed, seemed again upon the verge of giving an order, changed his mind, and went back to the automobile. He brought forth a large suit-case this time, lugged it to the bunk-house, found the door, and opened the suit-case.

From the suit-case came a bottle and three clean glasses. Mr. Sherrod looked in Hard Ross's steady eyes when he saw that the thing he was called upon to do was to drink whisky with this man and to a better understanding, was champagne. The bottle popped and they drank liquor very much like strong coffee cups. And when they had done Hard Ross, a little apologetically, asked:

"You haven't got any whiskey along have you? Jus' to wash the taste out with?"

Then they had whiskey together. And then Mr. Sherrod threw a leg over to the corral. Mr. Sherrod in glittering new spurs, boots, chaps and nose-glasses, Hard Ross somewhat grimly indeed by the sheering rope of Ross, a gentle old mare for the new owner. A wild, plunging bronco of a cayuse had got the foreman, they rode away together across the rolling floor of the valley, Ross on his best behavior, Ross and keen delight upon the faces which they turned upon the appearance of Mr. Sherrod, owner of the Up and Down cattle outfit.

CHAPTER IV.

To a man of inquiring mind there should be no more interesting study than the mysterious radiation of news from any point in the cattle country to a thousand-little nooks and corners where telegraphs and telephones are daily unequipped and unused. It is as if it were borne upon the chance wind carried with the flood of a gay, sipping creek, sung across the wide spaces by the whispering tongues of pine-needles, dropped here and yonder like rain from the bursting blooms of a saddling clouds.

Within two days from the time of the coming of the new owner in the Up and Down, word of the vast had gone his thirty-mile way to White Rock and from that bustling outpost upon the fringes of the civilized had set out in many ways over the lower valley country. Within five days White Rock had magnified and multiplied the tale amount of its wonderful ability.

Within ten days it is to be doubted if there was a man, woman or child anywhere within a radius of fifty miles who had not heard of the theft of Mr. Sherrod, the punishment meted out to Hawley, the coming of Sherrod and his reception by his foreman. The delicate morsel upon the tongue of gossip was the characterization of Sherrod himself, and gossip went with carefully to her task.

And after the news went up and down in many directions and on the long trails of many adventures and had not fallen over the edge of a cliff, got himself drowned in the deep end of a mud hole or by a vicious horse in the corrals. He had freed one of his heavy responsibilities by the thoughtless give of the two men who happened to be with him, Sunny Harper and Cookie, over at one of the Adams. Adams had ducked his head. Sunny Harper had lost no time in getting his horse quarters-deep in close up to Mr. Sherrod's horse's tail, and the coyote having watched with an interest no less than that of the boys' and having cocked his knowing eye at the bark chipped from a cedar post by the bullet which had sped by his head, moved on into the chaparral.

"I—I'm afraid I'm out of practise," Mr. Sherrod was confessing with his revolver to its holster and wiping his glasses with the tip of his gay neckerchief. "I'm afraid I'm a little time practising at a target."

And it was that evening, when the men was just resting a broad golden disk upon the rim of the mountains to the west and while Mr. Sherrod was devoting himself to the task of painstakingly tying the drilling of little knots in the assumption at a respectful distance from the scene of his operations, Ross pulled pine-tree that Bull Plummer rode up to the bunk-house.

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Within two days from the time of the coming of the new owner in the Up and Down, word of the vast had gone his thirty-mile way to White Rock and from that bustling outpost upon the fringes of the civilized had set out in many ways over the lower valley country. Within five days White Rock had magnified and multiplied the tale amount of its wonderful ability.

Within ten days it is to be doubted if there was a man, woman or child anywhere within a radius of fifty miles who had not heard of the theft of Mr. Sherrod, the punishment meted out to Hawley, the coming of Sherrod and his reception by his foreman. The delicate morsel upon the tongue of gossip was the characterization of Sherrod himself, and gossip went with carefully to her task.

And after the news went up and down in many directions and on the long trails of many adventures and had not fallen over the edge of a cliff, got himself drowned in the deep end of a mud hole or by a vicious horse in the corrals. He had freed one of his heavy responsibilities by the thoughtless give of the two men who happened to be with him, Sunny Harper and Cookie, over at one of the Adams. Adams had ducked his head. Sunny Harper had lost no time in getting his horse quarters-deep in close up to Mr. Sherrod's horse's tail, and the coyote having watched with an interest no less than that of the boys' and having cocked his knowing eye at the bark chipped from a cedar post by the bullet which had sped by his head, moved on into the chaparral.

"I—I'm afraid I'm out of practise," Mr. Sherrod was confessing with his revolver to its holster and wiping his glasses with the tip of his gay neckerchief. "I'm afraid I'm a little time practising at a target."

And it was that evening, when the men was just resting a broad golden disk upon the rim of the mountains to the west and while Mr. Sherrod was devoting himself to the task of painstakingly tying the drilling of little knots in the assumption at a respectful distance from the scene of his operations, Ross pulled pine-tree that Bull Plummer rode up to the bunk-house.

It was too early for the men to have come home from work. Only the cook, Sunny Harper, and Cookie, busy at his stove, were in camp.

Sunny Harper, very joyous over the spectacle of the target-shooting and the cold which he was doctoring with a big dose of whisky from the bottle which Mr. Sherrod had "passed out," saw Bull Plummer ride up to the corral fence in a great gallop, and, shouting with many oaths, hailed him. Bull Plummer rode up to the bunk-house.

"Where's the boss?" he demanded, and saw that the cook had gone down to the outhouse for something, and went himself in search of the boss. "I'll take this morning, Ross. I want you to forget it. Will you—do you ever drink anything?"

"I ain't ever missed the chance," grinned Ross. "Not since I was ten."

"Then after breakfast—you don't mind that?"

"There's just three times a man don't drink," Ross was explaining when Bull Plummer's head appeared from his gravely. "One is before meals, one in durin' meals an' the other is between meals. Which one will it be?"

Mr. Sherrod laughed, seemed again upon the verge of giving an order, changed his mind, and went back to the automobile. He brought forth a large suit-case this time, lugged it to the bunk-house, found the door, and opened the suit-case.

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GOOD ROADS SCHEME BY-LAW WAS ADOPTED BY COUNTY COUNCIL

The County Council met Thursday now, we would not be able to go afternoon at Wm. o'clock. Warden ahead for two or three years and our Thos. was in the chair. The report of returning soldiers would not benefit the committee to consider the ap- do ahead with this system by all pointment of a superintendent for means. Otherwise we are penny wise the House of Refuge was received and and pound foolish.

read. Sixteen applications were considered, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brass of Mastpool were appointed Superintendent and Matron.

For—Parsons, Wilson, Ferguson, Thompson, McLean, McGaffey, Robertson, Babcock, Morrison, Lee.

Against—Logan, Brock, Thomas, Alton, Adair, Chirpin, Jenkins, Howkins.

The bylaw to give a grant of $1000 to the 255th Battalion was next dealt with and resulted as follows: For the grant, Reeves Parsons, Wilson, Ferguson, Thompson, McLean, McGaffey, Babcock, Robertson, Morrison and Lee. Against the grant, Reeves Logan, Brock, Thomas, Alton, Adair, Chirpin, Jenkins and Howkins. Ten for the grant, eight against. The motion passed the third and final reading and was left over until next Monday.

The report of the Committee on Roads and Bridges in regard to the County Good Roads System was next brought up and read by Reeve Howkins. The report named the different roads to be taken into the system, and comprised six or eight typewriting foolscap pages.

Reeve McLean asked that a definite clause be inserted in the bylaw that the moneys levied for the streets in Lindsay already improved, be returned to the town to be expended on its connecting highways. The county would retain the government grants in this connection.

Reeves Logan and Lee pointed out that towns over three thousand population get no grant.

Reeve McKeen asked for definite assurance that Lindsay would get a definite sum or certain amount in return for its support. The levy of two thousand from Lindsay or nine thousand or whatever it was would be returned to Lindsay for expenditure on its own roads.

Reeve Logan said that in that case Lindsay would be in much better shape than Bobcaygeon, which has so small a mileage of streets that $419 a year could not be spent every year on its streets.

Reeve McLean :—Lindsay is contributing 20 per cent. of the cost of this work. It would be poor business if I did not get a written assurance from the council. We may all be dead, I may not be here, and we have no idea what our successors will be. I must protect my constituents. I say will believe in the good roads [illegible] Reeves Parsons and Robertson, those [illegible] but look at the large proportion the rest Lindsay is contributing.

Reeve Babcock did not feel it was right that every dollar Lindsay pays out should be paid back. He felt for that a certain portion should be paid us. I do not feel it right that Lindsay should subscribe and drive out over country roads toward which we have contributed nothing. Now, how- ever, that Lindsay should have a proportion returned as to help build roads in the town.

Reeve McLean then stated that the gist part of doing Lindsay the whole thought back was that the county could retain the name of the government grant. However, since the government would give no grant on the town's share, then the fair thing would be for Lindsay not to ask the full share back.

An extensive report was read by Clerk McNeilles, after which Reeve Jenkins spoke very forcibly in favour of the good roads system on the ground of economy in building bridges, culverts, etc. which are absolutely necessary now.

Reeve Logan was strong against the Good Roads System. He said the old roads are good enough for the present. We must win the war first. Submit the bylaw to the people.

Reeve Morrison stated that Reeve Logan was more anxious to win the war now than he was earlier in the afternoon, when he voted against the grant to the battalion. (Laughter.) We should get the good roads system under way to be ready to go ahead immediately after the war. After the war, unless we get things in shape

Reeves Logan, Brock and Howkins voted against the Good Roads. All others voted for reading the bylaw a third time.

The bylaw was then read and passed, after which council adjourned.

DALRYMPLE.

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. Victor Bunker, lately returned from the West, was out visiting friends in Dalrymple the first of the week.

Mr. Hardy is visiting at Sebright this week.

Miss Estella Graham is visiting friends in Vasey.

The men have been busy staking out and drawing logs to the mill during the past week.

Mr. Wilmot Graham has returned to the West after spending a couple of months at his home here.

Mr. O'Donnell succeeded in getting two foxes during the past week.

The Women's Missionary and Red Cross Societies met at the Sebright Methodist Church on Thursday afternoon.

Pte. Clas. McPeek, of Orillia came to Dalrymple after his organ.

Dalrymple Lodge of Oddfellows was held on the regular night, Thursday March 8th.

Mr. James Adams, of Toronto, is spending a few days at his home here before going West.

Messrs. Fred Fox and Victor White spent the week end with Dalrymple friends.

Miss Osborne, of Dartmouth, spent a few days with her sister in Toronto.

FUNERAL OF LATE JAMES GREENAN

The funeral of the late James Greenan, who passed to his eternal rest on Saturday evening, took place this morning from the family residence, Glenelg-st., to St. Mary's church, where requiem mass was chanted. The celebrant was Monsignor Casey, who was assisted by Very Rev. Dean McCall, rector of Immaculate Conception Church, East City, Peterboro, as deacon, Rev. Father Ferguson, of Warkworth, subdeacon, and Rev. Father Power, master of ceremonies. A large congregation was present and at the conclusion of the mass the cortege proceeded to the cemetery.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. Peter, Patrick and Joseph Greenan, sons, and Messrs. Daniel Farrell, Michael O'Keefe, of Keene, and Fred Steinberg, of Chapleau, sons-in-law of deceased.

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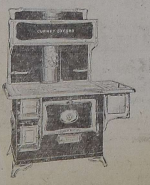

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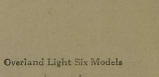

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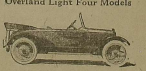

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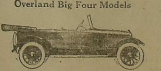

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GRANT OF $1,000 TO 252ND BATTALION

The committee on Finance and Assessment met at 11.30 Thursday morning to consider making a grant to the 252nd Battalion. Reeve Morrison took the chair, on being asked. County Clerk McNeillie pointed out the business like manner in which the money was asked for. A statement would be made of all expenditures. He himself had seen statements of their previous expenditures, which were exceedingly careful and necessary. By supporting the battalion in recruiting outside the county it would relieve the pressure on such young men still remaining in the county, who were at present absolutely needed at home. The population of the county would not warrant too great a drain at present. But a battalion must be raised.

Reeve Morrison made a strong appeal in behalf of the battalion, telling how and why the funds were required. Many Victoria County men had gone forth and come back wounded. They realized what the needs were and they themselves whenever they could recover were going back to the front. Men are needed. We must supply them. I have been lukewarm about the grant because I felt the government should do the work. I feel now that we must help in every way we can. There are thousands of men in Canada today who belonged to peace time regiments who should be called out to the colors.

Reeve Logan—It is an unfortunate affair if military men have to appeal to local bodies for money to assist in recruiting. The government should say whether or not assistance is required. I am in favor of giving to patriotic purposes, Red Cross purposes, etc, but I have always been and still am opposed to giving to battalion funds.

Reeve Babcock favored giving a grant if it would assist in raising men to fight our battles. I move giving this grant of $1000 to the battalion.

Reeve I have always been opposed to grants of this kind, but after hearing this deputation I have completely changed, and now take pleasure in seconding Reeve Babcock's motion.

Reeve Lee spoke of the solidity of the deputation and committee in charge of the fund with Mr. H. B. Black, of the Bank of Montreal at its head. This council was dealing with bigger questions than ever dealt with before in its history. We must live up to teh times.

Reeve Jenkins said he was still at sea on the matter, whether to pay the full amount or cut it in half.

Clerk McNeillie said why not put a proviso in the grant that the county pay out the money only as needed and accompanied by proper vouchers.

Reeve McLean said he would prefer to err on the side of generosity rather than hinder our boys at the front through niggardliness. I expected the Battalion would ask for $1500 but evidently they have been able to get private subscriptions to make up the money which is absolutely necessary and ask us only one thousand dollars. We made no mistake in granting $5000 to the navy, which has been well expended since the submarine warfare commenced.

Reeve Wilson said he had always opposed grants to battalions, but felt this case really deserved it. The municipalities would be approached separately if the county did not make a grant. Some would give and others would not, which would be hardly fair. The best way would be for the county council to make the grant.

The motion was then put and carried, ten votes being cast for it. The money will be paid in instalments as required.

The deputation on behalf of the grant was led by Major Thompson, and among others present were Capt. Wilosn, Messrs. H. B. Black, Canon Marsh, Thos. Stewart, W. Flavelle, Jas. Boxall, T. H. Stinson, J. W. Deyell, V. B. Wilson, Dr. White, D. Cinnamon, L. V. O'Connor, R. Kylie, N. Smale, W. G. Carlisle, H. B. Anderson, W. F. McCarty, H. V. Lockie, F. M under

Major Thompson was the first speaker and explaiend the object of the deputation was to get financial assistance for the purpose of recruiting He spoke of the many difficulties of recruiting particularly in this county. The battalion had been greatly held back through a lack of response to recruiting appeals and luke warm assistance in certain districts. So much so that a staff official who visited the armories in January had warned the officers that unless the response was beteer in the near future the attempt to raise a battalion with headquarters here would be abandoned and its headquarters moved to another county or joined with another battalion, so that Victoria and Haliburton men would have to join up with foreign county battalions. Of the one thousand men suitable for recruits who had been personally interviewed in Victoria and Haliburton the battalion had been able to get only one man per day. Since that time permission had been granted by headquarters to the 252nd Battalion to recruit anywhere in No. 3 Military District and the battalion had been able to show results second to none in the province. One hundred and eight men had been recruited in February. To continue this work and keep the battalion headquarters here more funds are now required for recruiting. The deputation is before the council to show reason why a request of one thousand dollars is made.

Mr. Thos. Stewart then arose and made a most eloquent and impassioned appeal and showed conclusively the justice of this claim. He thanked the council for their grant to the British Sailors' Fund made at the last session, and reviewed the war to date. Lack of experience, he said, had caused many mistakes in administration in the past, but in the future these would be less and less. He said more men are needed to carry on this war. The war may collapse any time, and then again it may drag on for ten years. It is better to have too many men ready and fighting and to win out than to lose through lack of a few thousands.

When France was aproached for peace not long ago the French people said "Peace without victory would be a disgrace," and fought on, although she has lost over a million men by this war already. The speaker then arraigned the Germans in ringing terms. His appeal greatly moved the council.

Mr. H. B. Black, manager of the Bank of Montreal, was the next speaker. He explained that he was treasurer of the Battalion Recruiting Fund, and had gone through all vouchers to date, analyzing each with the citizens recruiting committee, and when satisfactory, paying them. Up to the present the disbursements had all been legitimate, and absolutely necessary. Major Thompson was doing his best to spend the money economically and wisely. There are many expenditures that people do not think of that must be met from outside funds other than those provided by the government. The Battalion is now moving along in an encouraging way and it would be too bad if it had to be given up through lack of funds.

Mr. L. V. O'Connor, in a few neat words, endorsed the remarks of the previous speakers. "It seems to us," said he, "that the government should bear all the expense of recruiting, but those who are at the top and should know say the best way is for the government to provide only for certain expenses and let the balance be made up from other sources. It was our place not to create dissension by hanging back, but to lend our support to every legitimate cause.

Canon Marsh in speaking, said that this war is not yet ended. Victory is not yet on our banners. Thousands of miles of trenches are held by the enemy and the submarines render the ocean unsafe for ordinary traffic. Outside of God's blessing we need men and means. What would we do if we were at the front and stood in the trenches and looked for reinforcements day after day. We in Canada are not giving a new man for every man who has fallen. We are not doing our part enough. Anything we can do to help Major Thompson and the Battalion to get men we should do and we will regret it all our lives if we hinder it or falter.

Canon Marsh then pointed out that in spite of having given many thousands of dollars for patriotic purposes, Victoria County people were more prosperous than ever before.

Mr. James Boxall was the next speaker and spoke very forcibly in favor of the grant. He said that the Allies are now at the crest of the wave and the question now was, "do we go back or go onward." It was the duty of every Canadian to see that we go on and this recruiting money must be obtained even if finally a personal appeal must be made to every individual.

He complimented the officers of the 252nd Battalion on the spirit of determination they were showing to build up the battalion.

The speaker also mentioned Captain Hugh McLaughlin, who, though wounded, still remains on duty in the trenches. He is an old Victoria County boy and son of Mr. R. J. McLaughlin. The reference was heartily applauded by all present.

Ald. N. Smale also urged the County Council to contribute this grant. He said the boys at the front eagerly scan the papers to see how the people at home stand the stress of war and back up their efforts. What would give enemy greater cheer than to find we were beginning to hesitate in our support. We can hearten our own men or hearten the enemy by our action to-day.

Recruiting without funds has come to a standstill and money must be obtained for this work must be continued.

Major Thompson thanked the council for their reception of the deputation. "This is not our battalion," said he, "it is your battalion, and we are at your services."

Warden Tiers then promised the council's best consideration of the matter and on motion of Reeves Robertson Committee was instructed to consider the matter.

Council then adjourned.

VICTORIA ROAD

(Special to The Post)

Miss W. Parrish, of Fenelon Falls, is visiting her friend, Miss Vera Parks.

Mr. Tamlin, of Cambray spent Sunday visiting friends in the vicinity.

Mr. Fred Russell, of Russborough, Sask spent last week in Norland.

Miss Clara Shields and Miss Alma Grant spent the week end in Bracebridge.

A most enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. Wm. Jno. Alton's Friday evening, March 2nd. (Maple Grove Farm) in honor of his cousins, Mrs. Jno. Russell, Mr. Fred Russell, and Mr. George Graham, of Russborough, Sask., when he entertained a number of guests from Fenelon Falls, Lindsay, Norland, Carden and Glenarm. It was one of the biggest events of the season. The evening was spent in dancing and euchre. Every person reports having a good time.

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To the Editor.

Dear Sir,—A few figures may be interesting matter for your readers, who may draw their own conclusions as to the cause of the "high cost of living" in one of its phases.

In the matter of coal, which, after passing through different hands, each of whom has his shaving of profit, is finally sold to the consumer at the rate of any place from $9.50 to $14 and $15 per ton. The varying of these figures is of course due to the amount one purchases. In small quantities of say twenty-five, fifty or one hundred pounds, it has been sold to the poor of Toronto (and possibly other places) this winter at a rate of $12 and more per ton, accohring to some of the Toronto dailies. So you see it is a mighty expensive thing to be poor. In lots of one half ton and over it is sold at the rate of $9 to $9.50 per ton.

Let us look at a few of the figures compiled by the National City Bank of New York on the world's production and distribution of this commodity: "In normal (peace) years about one billion five hundred million (1,500,000,000) tons of coal are produced in the world, of which 38 per cent is the product of the United States, 21 per cent that of Great Britain, while Austria-Hungary, France, Belgium, Russia, Italy and Japan produce together 12 per cent or more." It is not stated where the remainder is produced. In 1913 the United States produced 570 million tons. That was the year preceeding the war. The next year, 1914, the latter half of which was a war period, the figures of coal production showed a shrinkage of 57 million tons as compared with those of 1913. In 1915 there were 517 million tons mined in the U. S. or an excess of 4 million tons over 1914; while for 1916 (the greatest war year yet) the figures of the "Coal Trade Journal" show that 608 million tons were mined in the U. S., the largest output in one year in the history of the business, an excess of 38 millions tons over 1913, a normal year of peace. And this despite the howls from the coal "owners" of the scarcity of men, of the "capital-and-labor" difficulties with which our ears are perennially regaled by these predatory gentlemen. There is thus no apparent real shortage of coal mined. However there is to a certain ex- but what may be called a false shortage on the American continent through the inadequacy of certain worn out and "milekd dry" or "watered" to death railroads. In the words of a well known railwayman of Canada in conversation with the writer in Toronto the whole trouble is, "Shortage of power due to an insufficiency of machinists, which is, in turn, due to the unwillingness of the companies to pay an adequate scale of wages. The same mechanics can make better wages on munition work." Thus it is that numbers of railway employees have left their old positions to work in munition factories at higher wages. The transportation problem is a matter for the Canadian and United States Governments to deal with. The solution, to my mind, is the nationalizing of the railroads, which both governments seem loath to adopt.

But to get back to the other phase of the coal question. The figures show that there was no real shortage of mined coal last year. It may be argued by some that the war has created a coal shortage in the U. S., which has reacted necessarily on Canada; that such a great number of munition plants eat up a vast quantity in excess of other years; that men are now employed as soldiers and not as miners. But it appears to me that a moment's study of the matter will bring forth the question:

"Why should even all this create a coal shortage in the U. S. and Canada, especially in anthracite coal? To a large extent bituminous coal, (where coal is used at all) is used by munition plants. As I will show later on, Mr. Editor, enough coal was mined in the U. S. last year to supply its total export trade on last year's figures, for more than 15 years. Over one third of the world's total coal supply was mined last year in the U. S. alone, and after the export trade was satisfied there remained a balance on hand of over 570 millions of tons—long tons at that — for home consumption,—enough to give each family of four people in the U. S. a supply of nearly 23 tons, or over five and one-half tons for every man, woman and child in the country! Enough to last the whole world for four months! It is only a simple question in arithmetic to calculate the amount of coal it would take for the U. S. domestic trade, when the proportion of size and population of that country to the rest of the world is known. And besides, Great Britain produces twenty-one per cent. (according to the figures) of the total world's supply of coal; and Mr. Lloyd George is so anxious to keep up the supply that the enlistment of miners is discouraged if not almost forbidden on the grounds that they are doing as much for the empire to stay at home where they are. Nor may the U. S. and Great Britain be accused of supplying the Central Powers, seeing that they have enough and to spare! Spain and Italy are usually heavy importers of coal from both the U. S. and Britain. But since the submarine activity, Britain has been the chief supplier of these countries as well as of France. According to a statement on the financial page of the Toronto Globe, many of the loaded vessels in U. S. ports have got discouraged waiting and are being unloaded.

As I have said, the figures show that there has been no real shortage of coal mined in 1916. To quote the National City Bank's report further: "The U. S. is not only the world's largest producer of coal, but has by far the largest supplies available for future use"—i. e., coal deposits not yet mined. Estimates by competent geological authorities put the available supply (deposits) of the U. S. at three trillions, five hundred and thirty eight billions, five hundred millions of tons (3,538,500,000,000 tons left the U. S. in 1916, at a total timated by the executive committee of the 12th International Congress of Geology at 7,397,533,000,000 tons, which shows that our own (U. S.) supply is nearly one half that of the entire world. In 1916 the U. S. exported more coal than in any previous year. Twenty-three million tons left the U. S. in 19916 at a total valuation of $70,000,000 (an average cost including anthracite and bituminous of nearly $3.05 per ton.) Besides this, 8,000,000 tons of coal for the use of ocean vessels in foreign trade were used at a cost of $3.25 per ton. Of the 23,000,000 tons of coal exported, 4,000,000 tons were anthracite, of which the greater part came to Canada. Also about two-thirds of the bituminous coal came to Canada. So you can see, Mr. Editor, that only about the usual demand was made on the U. S. by the foreign trade. To quote the concluding words of the report: "The average price at which coal was exported (from U. S.) in 1916 was, bituminous, (soft coal) $2.31 per ton; anthracite (hard) $5.38 per ton. (2240 lbs to the ton.)

Now Mr. Editor, you see that it is a long jump from $5.38 per ton, wholesale price to $9.50 per ton retail price. The only possible solution at present that appears to me is nationalizing of the mines, which with nationalized railways and government regulation of prices, the consumer will save a great part of this $4.12 per ton that now goes into the pockets of the railways and "middlemen." Anything else than nationally owned coal mines is the height of injustice. Allowing for the normal increase in the population of Canada, and the U. S., there are according to the geological experts enough deposits of coal in the U. S. alone to last for upwards of 75,000 years. By the so called inheritance laws now in force, hundreds of thousands of children in hundreds of generations yet to come will be born with a strangehold on one of the great necessities of the lives of the less lucky humanity of their day. $5.38 per ton no doubt represents a handsome profit to these "owners," over the cost of operating the mines—a profit that should in justice, either go back to the people (their governments) to be used to lower the price of the commodity to the consumer, or for some other benefit. None of the past, present or future coal barons (than whom there is no haughtier or more merciless class on earth) can be credited with augmenting, having augmented or ever being able to augment the deposits of coal in the bosom of Mother Earth.

Faithfully,
W. L. DOUGLAS.

Lindsay, March 3rd, 1917.

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CAPTAIN JORDAN WAS WELCOMED

(From Friday's Daily.)

Minden Echo,—Capt. G. A. Jordan, our new Police Magistrate and County Clerk, comes with a welcome from the citizens of Minden and county of Haliburton.

Well versed in law and municipal matters, Capt. Jordan will, we are sure fill a long felt want.

Five times Reeve of Lindsay and Warden of Victoria County speaks of his popularity among our neighbors. For many years he has been associated with us in many ways and many visits he has paid to our country in various capacities. He is no stranger in our midst, having lived in Haliburton for a few summers. Hence the reason the good people of this County invited him to accept the offices he now holds.

Capt. Jordan is ever willing to help when called upon. When recruiting throughout Victoria and Haliburton, he often stepped aside to assist in any way the community suggested; consequently he met with marked success as a recruiting officer, organizer and speaker.

As a native of Victoria and now a citizen of Haliburton, we bespeak the kindly co-operation of the people, to make his duties as pleasant as possible and we are confident his appreciation will be marked.

COUNTY COUNCIL SESSION CLOSED

Victoria County Council met Friday morning at a quarter after nine o'clock. All members were present. Warden Tiers was in the chair and the minutes of the previous day's business were read by County Clerk McNeillie, and adopted.

The report of the Equalization Committee was read by Reeve Ferguson. The corrected figures brought up to date will be printed and distributed to the different township councils.

The by-law on Equalization was then put through and sealed.

The grant to the 252nd Battalion Recruiting Fund was next brought up. Reeve Thompson read the by-law, giving a grant of $1000 for this purpose.

Reeve Jenkins spoke a few words, giving his reasons for supporting the by-law at its final reading. The matter had been explained very fully to him and with better light on the subject he was glad to give it his support.

Reeve Brock of Bobcaygeon, who had also been investigating personally since the day before decided the cause was a worthy won and stated he saw eye to eye with the majority of the council on this patriotic duty.

The action of these two men was strongly approved by the majority of the council.

Reeye Chirpaw stated his reasons for not supporting the grant and read a telegram from Mr. John Carew, M.P.P., urging him to give it his assistance. He decided, however, to withhold his support.

Reeve Howkins, of Woodville, was strongly against the grant. The present recruiting methods, he said were extremely wasteful. However, if the battalion had to have the County's grant in order to obtain the one from the government, the only thing would be to support the grant. No doubt many of the men recruited would be medically unfit and would have to be returned. Present recruiting was wasteful.

Reeve McLean told of a scheme he had for getting any men who were rejected to remain in this County to work and thus relieve the labor situation and build up the district. Even if some men had to be rejected and there were relatively few so far in this battalion, it would re-act to the benefit of the county.

On motion of Reeyes McGaffey and Morrison, the by-law was read and passed a third time by a two thirds vote. Those opposing were: Reeves Logan, Thomas, Howkins, Chirpaw, Alton and Adair. For the by-law were: Warden Tiers, Reeves Parsons, Wilson, Jenkins, Ferguson, Thompson, McLean, Babcock, McGaffey, Robertson, Morrison and Lee. The Council adjourned for a half hour for committee work.

The Committee on Roads and Bridges met for a short time at eleven o'clock Friday morning to consider the Good Roads System situation and appoint a special committee to look into the details of the matter. A committee consisting of the Reeves of the townships and municipalities affected by the Good Roads and one representative from Lindsay was appointed to look after the organization.

The Council went into session again and the report of the Committee on Roads and Bridges was received and adopted. The Council then adjourned.

FORESTRY WORK FOR RETURNED VETS

Ottawa, Ont., March 8.—The employment of returned soldiers in forestry work is suggested by the Commission of Conservation as one means of dealing with home-coming soldier problems. Technical forest schools are already in existence at Toronto, Quebec and Fredericton and another is contemplated at Vancouver. The commissioner proposed the co-operation of these schools in establishing supplementary ranger schools in forestry engineering. There are several governmental fire protection organizations which would be able to provide employment for quite a number of men.

Mother—"How did you get that black eye, Tommy?"

Tommy (disgustedly)—"By waiting to count ten when I was angry, that's how I got it."

LENGTHY

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"At length she spoke?"

"Yes, also she spoke at length."—Boston Transcript.

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Edith—Is it true that you have quarrelled with Jack?

Ethel — I should say not; my birthday is next week.

GERMANS ARE LOSING HEAVILY FROM SHELL WORK OF BRITISH

British Headquarters in France, via London, March 9.—Bitmard conditions have prevailed on the western front for two days, holding the military operations within a very small compass. Coming after a ten days' thaw, and the apparent approach of an early spring, the renewed cold has been keenly felt.

The two swing back gales, accompanied by heavy falls of snow, have interfered with nearly every phase of modern war activity, except the persistent roar of the British guns, which fire continuously, day and night, and regardless of weather, harling death, destruction and confusion behind the enemy's lines.

They "search out" roads, ground communication lines to cut off supplies, "pay attention" to points where reliefs are likely to take place, and otherwise harass the Germans with scarcely a moment's respite.

GERMANS LOSE HEAVILY

It is increasingly evident that in carrying out their counter attacks on Arras and Somme areas the Germans sacrificed large numbers of their very best soldiers. Carefully selected from various regimeents, they were given certain posts with instructions to hold them against all odds. A majority of them have paid with their lives, they were fighting a rearguard action. Prisoners taken represent the highest type of the German army.

It was not until their repeated "S. O. S." rocket signals for artillery assistance went completely unanswered that these men suspected the position in which they had been placed—that they formed a sacrificial screen covering the retreat of the main body of their comrades. The prisoners still profess belief in a German victory, frankly saying that they base their confidence largely in Germany's submarine campaign, which they and all the rest of the army have been told is sure to bring peace within three months. Letters found on prisoners and dead men also show the extent to which the promise of victory through unrestricted submarine warfare has been disseminated through out the empire.

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EMPIRE OF TURKS TOTTERING BAGDAD FALL SLAGGERING BLOW

London, March 11—The fall of Bagdad will give Germany's pan-Mohammedan revolution from Mossul to Mecca and Jerusalem, Arabia, already in a ferment, from Yemen to Hedjas, Suleiman I., Grand Cheresef of Mecca, whose government has been recognized by the Entente powers. Syria is only held in check by an overwhelming display of force on the part of the British and the faithfulness of the Sultan at Constantinople. A reign of terror prevails in the latter city.

As a matter of fact, the Turkish Empire is crumbling at its bases. Originally an Asiatic power, deriving its chief strength from religious fanaticism, its sojourn of 464 years in Europe is ending with more serious impairing yet inflicted nations, has weakened its faith, and of late years Germany has come to the price of its soul. Even before the war the assumption of the Sultan at Constantinople as the head of Islam was disputed by the direct descendants of the Prophet at Mecca, and his proclamation of a holy war against the allies gave the finishing stroke to the last vestige of his authority in Arabia.

The victory of the British in Mesopotamia leads to the question how far they will push their conquests and as to whether there will be any Turkey at all left after the war. This depends to some extent on the progress the Russians will have made in Asia Minor by the time hostilities end. As just noted, Russia already has designs on Turkey. The allies promise of Constantinople to Russia excluded her from Europe. There is left the interior of Asia Minor and Syria.

RUSSIA THREATENING FLANK.

The Russians from Armenia and Persia are also threatening the Turkish rule in Asia Minor. In the north they hold a line beginning on the Black Sea west of Trebizond, going south a little to the west of Erzingan, then swinging to the south-east to the shores of Lake Van, and within the border of Persia to a point south of Kirmanshah. Thus the Russians of Asia Minor are nearly two-thirds of Armenia, which is practically lost to the Turkey, and are menacing Sivas in Anatolia.

They are fast driving the Turks out of Syria and are approaching the frontier from the direction of Sakkiz, which is only 25 miles from the Mesopotamian border. Further south they have reached Kangaver, from Hamadan, in the direction of Kirmanshah, and have captured the Persian Government to resume possession of the cities recaptured from the Turks. The Turks are now in full retreat from their whole region, their flight doubtless being hastened by news of the British victories in the north which have threatened their communications with the bases at Diarbekir and Aleppo.

Co-operation between the Russians and British armies on the whole Tigris and Euphrates Valleys and with them the famous Bagdad Railway route as well as an Aleppo, which seems to be allowed to be still without rails, though a report from Berlin some months ago said that the last section across the Taurus Mountains had been completed and the rails laid from Konia.

COUNTY VALUATORS' REPORT WAS ACCEPTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL

(From Thursday's Daily.)

The County Council Committee on Finance and Assessment met at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon and dealt with the report of the County Valuators, Mr. Alex. Morrison, Reeve of Somerville, and Mr. Aaron Laidlaw, North County Clerk, read a communication from Reeve Chirpaw, of Bexley, giving notice that an appeal would against the recent assessment at the coming meeting. Mr. McNeillie compared the percentages of increase in the new statement in relation to the valuation of the county with the old assessment, and also read the list as applied to the whole matter. Mr. McNeillie further stated that years ago the county might not accept the report of the valuators, but according to the provision in the assessment act this latter native as far as the county council is concerned has to accept their report and make any equalization from the basis of the report.

Mr. McNeillie had also many interesting facts concerning the township of Sommerville, which he stated was the one most likely to appeal. The valuation, he stated, was $54,000 less than it was many years ago, and also gave a report on the average rate per head, added assessment and many other interesting facts regarding the villages of the township separate from the rural municipality.

Reeve Morrison produced a map of the township to show how much land which is now used for ranching purposes and formerly tilled, had decreased in value because the tenants had left the farms because they couldn't make a living. Mr. Morrison stated that he was not finding fault with the valuators. They acted as they thought best, but Mr. Morrison thought that they were not familiar with the land as he was. I am sure, said Mr. Morrison, that there is nearly a thousand acres in the township that is not worth over fifty cents an acre. Mr. Varcoe, one of the valuators, offered to buy nine or ten thousand acres at that price.

A comparison in the assessment of Bexley and Sommerville was produced by County Clerk McNeillie. The valuation of the land per acre within and outside the village, was $9.84 per acre. Sommerville is assessed the lowest in the county, with the exception of Dalton Township.

A discussion took place between Reeve McLean and Mr. Varcoe regarding Mariposa rate of increase in relation to the other municipalities. Mr. Varcoe thought there was an insinuation in Reeve McLean's remarks and came back quite strongly. He stated that the municipalities had been equally assessed. In every case the valuation had been raised. We didn't see an assessment roll only in one instance and merely used our good judgment, said Mr. Varcoe, and we are satisfied that we tried to do the fair and square thing. Mr. Varcoe further stated that he had been said that it looked bad to see Mariposa where it was. We took in the good and the bad and as far as we know we have been treated on the square.

Reeve McLean explained that he had been misconstrued by Mr. Varcoe. He had merely asked for an explanation in fairness to all.

Reeve Ferguson of Mariposa stated that there had been some dissatisfaction since the last valuation. The people thought they were unfairly dealt with. He gave instances where the valuation was considerably more than the assessment. At the request of Reeve McLean a comparison between assessments and valuations was made and the striking difference there was an increase over the assessment. He was pleased to see that land had appeared. It corroborated his statement that Mariposa's rate had been increased.

Reeve Wilson, of Emily felt that the valuators had used fair judgment. At the time of the former valuation he stated that Emily township was not fairly treated, but on this occasion thought that there should be an added percentage of 21 9/10 was proper because he thought the value of the land had increased to that extent.

Reeve Adair said that he did not feel satisfied with the valuation, although he had no fault to find with the valuators. They did their duty conscientiously, but they seemed to get all the good land in the Township. Many on the land and there were not enough people left to support. Reeve Adair said he thought the municipality was hit the hardest of any.

Reeve Robertson encountered a lot of men who stated that they made more money off their ranches than they did from their farms.

Reeve Morrison thought that although he was convinced that the valuators did their duty, he was of the opinion best, that they be a little in error with regard to the value of ranch land. There was a difference in the land where they had been ten years ago one the vacant land had decreased in value. He was not in sympathy with the land was not worth any more than it was ten years ago, and that the valuation was high.

Reeve Robertson said that he did not like to find fault because the valuators came from Ops, but he thought it best that they be a little in error with regard to the value of ranch land. There was a difference in the land which is now used for ranching purposes and formerly tilled, had decreased in value because the tenants had left the farms because they couldn't make a living. Mr. Morrison stated that he was not finding fault with the valuators. They acted as they thought best

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RUSSIAN CRISIS NOT OVER BRITAIN CONGRATULATES THE DUMA

London, March 13—Premier Lloyd-George in announcing that he would make a resolution of congratulation to the Russian Duma, told the commons that as far as the government's information showed the Russian revolution had been brought about with very little bloodshed, and that the new government had received the support of the army, the navy and the country as a whole. His information, however, did not enable him to say that all danger had passed. It was satisfactory to know the new government had been formed for the express purpose of carrying on the war with increased vigor.

The premier continued: "I have only to add on behalf of the government that they are confident the Russian people will find that liberty is compatible with order, even in a revolutionary time, and that free peoples are the best defenders of their own honor."

NATIONALISTS IRONIAL

At this point the premier was interrupted by ironical jeers from the Irish members, and cries of "Why don't you practice what you preach?" The premier continued:

"The British Government is confident that these events, marking as they do an epoch in the world, and as the first principles for which we entered the war, will result not in any confusion or slackening in the conduct of the war, but in closer and more effective co-operation between the Russian people and its allies. The government proposes Thursday to put down a motion to this effect."

Washington, March 9.—Ambassador Bakhmeteff today called on Secretary of State Lansing and laid before him a copy of the message the ambassador had received from Foreign Minister Milukoff, announcing the change in government that has taken place, which has already been made public in cable despatches from Petrograd. The embassy here was first informed the change for the present at least. New credentials ultimately will be required for the envoys of the new régime, however, regardless of who it may be as a consequence of the change in government.

MRS. J. F. BRASS AND DAUGHTERS REMEMBERED BY OAKWOOD FRIENDS

Oakwood, March 20.—On Monday evening about twenty members of the choir assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rodman, when the following address was read, and Mrs. J. F. Brass was presented with a beautiful cut glass fruit dish:

Mrs. F. Brass, Oakwood.

We, the members of the choir of Oakwood Methodist church, have met you here this evening that we might express to you our sincere appreciation of your valued assistance to us and to the church, and of our deep regret that you are about to sever your connection with us. You have always been cheerful and exemplary, and borne a large share of the burden of the choir work which we have imposed upon you. Your pleasant manner and pleasing way have shown to one and all that your heart and soul was completely immersed in the work for the Master. Your willingness to assist when needed and advise when required only more cheerfully points out the depth of your love for the work and your determination to see it prosper. We regret very deeply that you and your family are about to leave us, but we realize that what is our loss is some one else's gain.

God moves in a mysterious way. His wonders to perform.

And we know that now He has work elsewhere for you, and we pray and pray that the activities in your new home may be as pleasant as they have been here.

As a slight token of our appreciation we ask you to accept this small gift, not as a reward for your services, is it to be, for your reward will come from Heaven.

When you see us may it ever remind you of the many friends in the Oakwood Methodist choir, who in turn will always remember you.

BY THEIR WORKS YE SHALL KNOW THEM.

In God's great field of labor,
All work is not the same,
He lists a secret service
Who loves his holy name.
And you, to whom the secrets
Of all sweet sounds are known,
Rise up, for He hath called you
To a mission of your own.
And rightly so fulfil it
His grace can make you strong.
Who to your charge hath given
The ministry of song.

Signed on behalf of the choir, Mrs. W. F. Webster, leader, Miss Emily Dobson, organist.

Mrs. Brass was so completely surprised that she was unable to make a reply, but Mr. Brass replied for her, and thanked the choir for their token of appreciation and esteem.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brass entertained a number of young people on Friday evening, when the following address was read:

To Miss Ina Brass:

We, your friends have met here tonight to show in a tangible way our regret at your departure from our midst, which is soon to take place. Our associations with you for a number of years have been most pleasant, and it was with sorrow we heard of your decision to remove to Lindsay, and we could not let this opportunity pass without showing you in some way our appreciation of your many kindnesses towards us in the past and we feel sure you will not object if we accept this lady's companion as a slight token of the esteem in which we hold you. We would also ask you to accept it on account of its intrinsic value, but on account of the sentiment that goes with the gift. We in parting trust and pray that you may be long spared and have prosperity and health and happiness in whatever home you may be called to have here. Signed in behalf of your friends in Oakwood, May Ferguson, Ella Gerrie.

Miss Brass replied in a few well chosen words and thanked them for their kindness to her and for their gift. The young people to visit her at her new home in Lindsay.

Refreshments were indulged in, after which all repaired to their homes, having thoroughly enjoyed the evening.

On Thursday evening Miss Ella Walton entertained the members of the S. S. class at her home, and the home. Games of various kinds were indulged in. During the evening a presentation was made to Miss Mabel Mark and Miss Marion Lytle on behalf of the class, Miss Gertrude Mark and Ruby Brass with a pearl ring as a token of love and esteem. Miss Walton has been a member of the class assisted by the Misses Coad, Washington, Pronse and Scott, after which all repaired to the dining room, having passed a pleasant evening.

On Saturday evening last the members of the choir of the S. S. class met at her home, when the following address was read by Miss Alice Mark, and presented to Miss Ina Brass made the recipient of a gold bracelet. Miss Ola Brass, Oakwood.

Dear Ola:—We, your playmates and friends and fellow Sunday School pupils, have gathered here with you this evening to bid you farewell.

We were sorry to learn that you were leaving Oakwood, more especially leaving our S. S. class, but we hope you will like it in your new home and that when you make new friends and new companions, you will enjoy them as much as we know they will enjoy you.

As a little remembrance from us, we ask you to accept this small gift, and each time it shines remind you of your many friends in Oakwood.

Signed on behalf of the class, Mrs. L. S. Moore, teacher, Anna Webster, Beulah Every.

Miss Ola, although surprised, replied, thanking them for their gift and expression of love and good will.

It is true that children get their every wish unless asleep, it is no wonder some babies grow so slowly.

STRIKE FIGHT VICTORY FOR MEN

New York, March 19.—The railroad strike has been averted. Yielding to the appeal of President Wilson and facing the probability of the United States entrance into the world war, the railroads early today granted the demands of the four employees' brotherhoods for a basic eight hour day. The telegraph wires today are carrying throughout the country messages from the brotherhood chiefs rescinding the orders for the inauguration of the great general strike at 7 o'clock tonight.

The decision is regarded as a complete surrender to the brotherhoods by the railroads, however, after the patriotism of the railroad managers had been put to the test.

REV. McINNES INVALIDED HOME

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Kingston Standard.—Four convalescents arrived in the city Sunday afternoon from the front and were met by Mayor Hughes, Dr. Evans and a large number of citizens while the Ladies Auxiliary of the Ambulance Association served refreshments. One of the soldiers had been at the front and was wounded at the battle of Ypres. Rev. R. White, of Ottawa, who was a member of the 3rd Field Company, Canadian Engineers. The others were Pte. J. P. McInnes, of the 109th, who was a Presbyterian minister in Omemee until the outbreak and at one time was stationed at Harrowsmith, Pte. H. Pugh, of Lindsay, a member of the 109th, Pte. F. J. Tobin, of Peterboro, a member of the 93rd battalion.

DISPLAYING EGGS IN STORE WINDOWS

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

At the present time when our every energy and effort is being put forward to increase the production of foodstuffs and make Canada more than ever before a large factor in the winning of the war, every citizen looks naturally turns to the food stocks available, and the waste evidenced in their handling is more than ordinarily apparent as it is in the handling of eggs.

During the past few years special endeavor has been made to bring this matter to the attention of producers and the Women's Institutes have done, however, is addressed more particularly to retailers, many of whom do not seem to realize the extreme perishability of eggs.

It is a common practice at this season of the year for many retailers to advertise the increasing egg supply and the rapidly falling prices by displaying large piles of eggs in their store windows. The eggs thus exposed in many cases come under the direct rays of the sun and are subjected to a temperature behind the plate glass window of about 100 degrees. The experience has resulting in many cases deterioration through evaporation accompanied by loss of flavor, and before the time of the year a large percentage of the eggs marketed are fertilized, and the incubation which takes place at a temperature of 70 degrees is sufficient to start incubation, the possibility of serious deterioration on the part of the egg. It is good business to advertise, but window displays of eggs defeat the very end for advertising, that is the quality deterioration of the eggs causing dissatisfaction among consumers, and so retards consumption. Eggs should be kept in the cleanest, coolest, driest place in the store, preferably on a price with other articles of food. Places them in an important place in the front of our paper, and we ask you before in the history of the Dominion, the conservation of food supplies must be one of the chief considerations, and he waste no waggared in the handling of eggs, that can be eliminated by careful and more up-to-date methods, is a consideration that will appeal to every citizen who has at heart the best interests of his fellow citizens, his country, and the Empire as a whole.

Our personal opinion is that bridge whist is the most exciting game of all, nothing else that is interesting to do.

LIEUT. McLAUGHLIN AGAIN WOUNDED

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Lieut. H. J. McLaughlin has been wounded in the fighting on the western front, according to word received at his home at Bethany Road, Toronto. No particulars have been given as yet regarding the engagement in which the young officer was wounded, but it is possible that he took part in the recent trench raid on the German lines carried out by the Canadians.

Lieut. McLaughlin is 24 years of age, and enlisted in Queen's from Lindsay, Ont. At the time he enlisted he was in his second year as a law student. He had had considerable experience in military matters, having been a member of the Queen's Own Rifles for three years, and being one of the party taken to England by Sir Henry Pellatt. He enlisted in January, 1915, with the 93rd battalion, and went overseas in June following. He went through the battle of the Somme and the Vimy Ridge, and has seen some heavy fighting since. A younger brother is with the 166th Battalion.—News.

FIVE UNITS TO BE MOBILIZED

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Gen. Hemming received Monday instructions for the mobilization of five militia units in this district following the announcement last week of the mobilization scheme from Ottawa. The units named for mobilization in this district are the 14th P.W.O.R., Belleville, the 15th of Belleville; the 41st of Brockville; the 42rd of Ottawa, and the 57th of Peterboro.

So far only infantry battalions have been named in this district, but it is likely that before long a regiment of cavalry, etc., will follow. In the appointment of the staffs every effort will be made to employ returned officers and N.C.O's.

PRIVATE PUGH ARRIVED HOME

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Pte. H. Pugh, (No. 724514) a member of the 109th Battalion, arrived in Lindsay last night from overseas on furlough of one month to his father, Cambridgeset. He is one of a number of convalescents who arrived in St. John, N.B., a few days ago on the S.S. Scandinavian, and is a sufferer from rheumatism. Pte. Hugh was unable to walk when he left the front with his battalion, but is improving rapidly. Practically all the members of the 109th Bn., he states, are in France, and all were well when he left. Pte. Pugh's father, Mr. Heffernan, he informed the Post, was still bandmaster of the 187th Bn.,

COTTON SEED MEAL

We have a car of Cotton Seed Meal due to arrive in Lindsay this week. This meal is very highly recommended by the Government Experimental Farms as a milk producer. Mr. H. Purvis, of Blackwater, Millbrook, has received word that four ounces of Cotton Seed Meal will produce as much milk per day as twenty pounds of oatchop. What we have coming is guaranteed to contain from 39 to 44 per cent. Protein. Price $2.35 per 100 lbs. F.O.B. Lindsay.

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CAVALRY OF ALLIED ARMIES KEEP HUNS ON THE JUMP

War Correspondents' Headquarters, Tuesday night.—The retirement of the enemy is not as yet show any inclination to attempt to check the British advance. Our patrols report their progress to-day through the country east of Bapaume and the Somme without encountering greater opposition than stray long-range sniping by a distant rifleman who seemed anxious to expend his last cartridge. We keep feeling for the German front, for it has side-slipped so far that up to this afternoon none of our reconnoitring engaged in scouring the country behind the old front line have managed to secure a contact.

By 10 o'clock this morning the British infantry rested within two miles of the fortress of Ham, where their allies were already in occupation. Their outposts had gone eastward of Vraux, Malingrein, Omiecourt and Aubigny, and their progress farther north was equally extensive.

USE OF CAVALRY UPSETS THE GERMAN CALCULATIONS.

From a staff correspondent of the Associated Press, British Headquarters in France, March 20 (via London.)—The pursuit of the Germans by the British troops continues, and at places sharp fighting ensued to-day. This was particularly true of the neighborhood of Combles (northeast of St. Leger), which is still strongly held by machine gun companies. The armies have been in such close touch at other points that field fighting tactics have been employed, the men firing from skirmish lines.

Wherever the British troops penetrate territory formerly held by the Germans they encounter the same conditions of destruction and devastation as in Bapaume and Peronne. Only a few villages have escaped, the Germans in these instances having been compelled to leave before their plans to lay waste could be carried out.

HORSEMEN SURPRISE TEUTONS.

The use of cavalry by the British and French seems to have taken the Germans by surprise, upsetting some of their calculations. In one village paper, which had been left out, was abandoned, together with much ammunition, and in other places newly opened boxes of high explosives were found, with which the Germans had planned to destroy the villages before leaving. But the wholesale destruction was systemmized in a manner characteristic of German thoroughness was shown by captured orders on the subject. These directed the blowing up of all houses, wells and railways except those occupied by rearguard outposts, the rearguard being held responsible for making their shelters uninhabitable before falling back. Farming implements were all burned or destroyed. Wherever a building was spared it was first rendered filthy. The orders also directed the assembling of filth in the neighborhood of all wells for the purpose of ruining the water. The destruction of fruit trees now apparently covers the entire belt of evacuated territory, even those clinging to the walls having been stripped off. In one abandoned position a large black cat was found nailed to an upright board. A cap was on its head and a clear was in its mouth.

CAVALRY PATROLS NARROW ESCAPE.

A British observation party working forward to-day on horseback had a rather exciting experience. The patrol was attacked with machine gun fire by three German airplanes, which swooped very low, but failed to bring down any of the party.

Prisoners recently taken appear entirely bewildered when told of the extent of the German retirement. They said they thought it a great joke when they first heard of the German movement; they supposed it was solely for the purpose of getting the British deeper and deeper into mud of the Somme. But when it came to abandoning positions that had been fortified with months and years of labor there was much depression in the ranks. Most of the German guns which formerly bombarded along the Somme seem to have been utterly swallowed up.

There is no longer doubt that the main German forces had already installed themselves on a line before Cambrai and St. Quentin, but to-day fire could be seen beyond this line, as if the retreat had not yet been carried out to the full limit. In the meantime the picture behind the British lines is one of greatest activity. Movement has given the army work of joy.

CANNINGTON

(Special to The Post.)

Mrs. P. J. Ellis of Toronto is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. H. Foster, for a few days.

Corp. John Gillespie of Oshawa spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. M. Gillespie.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ross, of Woodville visited friends in town last Monday.

A carnival will be held at the skating rink on Thursday evening, March 22nd. Two bands will be in attendance, and twenty prizes competed for. Come and enjoy a good time.

Miss Annis Cliff visited friends in Toronto for a few days last week.

Mrs. R. Edwards returned home last Friday after a month's visit north with her daughter, Mrs. D. M. Martin, of Toronto.

Miss Florence Bissett returned home last Saturday after a few weeks' visit with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. (Col.) C. F. Bick received a cablegram last week from Col. C. F. Bick, of the 37th Batt., saying that he had been granted two months' sick leave and would sail for Canada shortly.

Pte. Chas. Smith of the C.A.S.C., was home on his last leave last Friday and expected to leave for overseas on the 18th. His father, Mr. W. Smith, accompanied him as far as Toronto.

Rev. Mr. MacKay, of Ottawa has accepted the call to be pastor of the Cannington and Manilla Baptist churches. He will reside in Cannington.

Dr. E. Blanchard was in Toronto last Thursday.

Miss Marian Capling, of Toronto is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Anderson.

Mr. L. Southworth of Omemee visited friends in town last Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Hallward will hold her spring millinery opening on Tuesday and Wednesday, April 3rd and 4th.

St. Patrick's night was fittingly celebrated by a great number who were present to receive their parcels from the post office and to partake of the excellent lunch in the basement of Knox church on Thursday evening. While refreshments were served the Cannington orchestra provided many pleasing numbers, and taking all things a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. Lou Harrison of Udora, spent last Sunday with friends in town.

Pte. Roy McDermott of the 182nd Bn., Oshawa, visited his mother, Mrs. Joshua Slider, last week.

Miss A. Thompson is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson.

PROCEEDINGS OF VERULAM COUNCIL

Council met in the council chamber, town hall, Bobcaygeon, March 19th. All members present. Reeve Chas. D. Logan in the chair. The minutes were read and adopted of meeting Feb. 5th. The many followed correspondence was duly read:

Statement of non-resident taxes in hands of County Treasurer for 1916. Copy of county equalization bylaw No. 799 based on county valuators' valuation, with amended statement of comparative real property and percentages and statement in relation to the value of real property compared live with county valuation of 1907, percentages of increase, assessed value per acre, etc. From Nelson Allored, for sheep claimed to be killed by dogs. Application for grants from Patriotic Fund from the Dunsford & Scotch Line Society and the Bury's Green Society. Resignations of Wm. Davis and Mason Smith as pathmasters. From Imperial Oil Co. re oiling streets.

A lengthy discussion ensued re county valuation, council comparing the assessments and percentages and value per acre of Eldon, Emily, Fenelon and Verulam, and decided request R. J. Mitchell and Wm. A. Thurston that no appeal be entered.

Mr. Miller Johns addressed council respecting his road. Council also wished a change, taking the statute labor of Mr. James and Joseph Robinson. Mr. Jarrold Norris from the Scotch Line beat and added to his as there was over 50 days' statute labor on the division compared with that on his. He also suggested that Mr. Mitchell could be added to the Eldon Line division.

On motion of S. M. Thurston and R. J. Mitchell this request was granted.

Reeve Logan reported that he had consulted with the Township Engineer as to the opening of the road allowance road at Emily Creek for Dolph D. Murdock, that in the opinion of the solicitor that was under the jurisdiction of the council. On motion of R. J. Mitchell and S. M. Thurston, it was decided to establish this concession road by employing Mr. Murdock to do the work, and R. L. S., to make the survey.

On motion of R. J. Mitchell and Jos. W. Southam, the claim of Gilbert Aldred, $12 for sheep killed by dogs, was paid.

On motion of J. W. Southam and S. M. Thurston, the auditor's report was accepted.

Treasurer Logan reported that at the last special session of county council the County Road System had been adopted, which would necessitate a change of statute labor either by commuting or placing same on the tax role roads. On motion of R. J. Mitchell and Jos. W. Southam, the resignations of Wm. Davis and Mason Smith as pathmasters were accepted. J. Jas. Mitchell and Jos. W. Southam, the statute labor of statute labor was left over to be taken up at a special session of council as the question was too large to be dealt with at this session.

On motion of Wm. Green and Jas. W. Southam, the resignations of Wm. Davis and Mason Smith as pathmasters were accepted. J. Jas. Mitchell and John Britton appointed in their place.

The following accounts were duly passed: Mrs. L. M. Thurston, prescott Dunsford & Scotch Line Society, grant $50; Mrs. Josiah Flett, treas. Bury's Green Patriotic Society, grant $25; Henry Aldred, grant for Brien swamp road, $40; Wm. Bank R.N.A., for credit R. J. Mitchell's pension acct., $90; Wm. Warren, printing and advertising $17.50; Clerk, on acct. salary, $75; postage, $24.2; Wm. Thurston, auditor, 8.8; Thos. J. Iogran, auditing, $8.

On motion of S. M. Thurston, council adjourned to meet at the call of the Reeve.

COBOCONK

(Special to The Post)

Mr P. C. Fielding, of Toronto, formerly of here, spent a few days of last week renewing old acquaintances here.

Wood was received here last week by Mr. John Cooke that belongs to W. H. Cooke, who was previously reported wounded, was dangerously but ah far no further personal have been received.

The Coboconk branch of the Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. C. M. Adams here on Tuesday afternoon, March 20th. A good crowd was in attendance.

Mr. Henry Webster, of Pension Falls, was in our village one day last week.

Miss T. Hoard, of Pension Falls, was the guest of Miss Ella Jackson over the week end.

Mr. Andrew Bowles' little child,

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McCARTY'S Jewelry Store

Mrs Grace McKay, of Kirkfield, was the guest of Mrs. Dr. Austin on Wednesday of last week.

The dance given under the auspices of the Canadian Order of Oddfellows here on Friday, the 16th was a success, there being a large crowd, and everyone reported a good time.

WOODVILLE

(Special to The Post.)

The March meeting of the Woodville Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Jas. Gerrie. The district president and secretary, Mrs. Williamson and Mrs. Hungerford, of Lindsay, being present. The secretary reported $115 in treasury, $50 of which was held here in February for the Red Cross Bazaar. A vote of thanks was tendered to the young men of the Agricultural School which was held in the building for turning over the proceeds of their pie social and dance, amounting to $20.00. Quilts, bandages for Red Cross work. The Institutes of this district now send their work direct to one of the local hospitals caring for the sick and wounded soldiers. At least down to the time of April 2 were sent to the boys from this district now at the front. Since October boxes containing 37 socks, several suits, tobacco, candy, etc., to the value of $150.50 has been sent overseas, and very interesting letters have been received acknowledging the receipt of these. Some there are from whom we cannot hope to hear, but of many made the supreme sacrifice. An interesting letter recently received was read by Mrs. Hardy, conveying the thanks and appreciation of wounded soldiers in No. 1 base hospital, Rouen, for "extra" furnished them at the Christmas season, funds having been sent to Miss Hardy, who is a nurse there, for the purpose. Another collection of waste paper, scrap, etc., will be made early in May.

PTE A. E. DARK WRITES FROM FRANCE

Mrs. A. E. Dark, 41 Logie-st., has received a letter from her husband, Pte. A. E. Dark, No. 1098, 19th Bn., now attached to 3rd Labor Bn. He writes:

"I arrived safely in France on Feb. 11th. We spent a short time in rest camp, slept in tents there, had a good supply of blankets, so had a good night's rest to fact the best for weeks as it were difficult to write letters now. There is not much to write about, as one gets strange surroundings mefinitely after a time, so you must forgive if you do not hear as often as when in England. Was glad to get yours yesterday (Sunday, March 11) had not one for three weeks, so you can imagine how delighted I was. We moved by train to our destination. So far I am getting along fine and you will be glad to know the times have fallen in very nice. I found things generally better than I anticipated. I trust my health to be preserved. One cannot expect the comparatively easy life of a bandsman. One thing I am glad to know is that if one's duties are in a sense menial, there is the joy of doing and journeying along that path which is the path of duty, and that always to feel you are in the throes and throbbing of this wonderful machinery with its multitudinous ramifications all working for one supreme effort, namely victory.

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Large quantity of very choice "Abundance" Seed Oats---grown in sunny Alberta---weigh up to 50 lbs. per bushel. Price 90c per bushel.

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AEROPLANE PLANT AT DESERONTO

The Imperial Munitions Board intends to establish at Deseronto an aeroplane industry and training camp which will be practically the exact duplicate of the works at one

Camp Borden.

Negotiations are now under way for a tract of land known as the Sats. Accommodation will be provided for five hundred men and one hundred machines. The contracts will be placed in a few weeks, and the camp will be operated together with Camp Borden, flights from one to another being planned.

The Post's Want Advts. pay.—Try them.

FAMILY AFFAIR

The young subalterns, who was the son of a general, and was permitted to rub in that fact, was taking a message from the general to the gunners.

"If you please," he said to the major, "father says will you move your guns."

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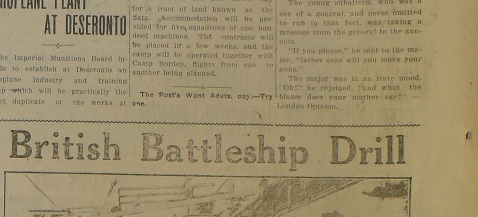
The major was in an irate mood. "Oh!" he rejoined, "and what the devil's your mother say?" —London Opinion.

British Battleship Drill



MR. George McLaren Brown, the European manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway in London, has forwarded the screen paying pictures, which allow those of us who are safe at home a glimpse of those who are keeping us safe at sea. Our picture is the first. The first illustration portrays musketry drill aboard a British battleship in the Mediterranean Sea, and the second shows a number of "Jacks" Tars loading a naval quick firing gun.

Undoubtedly the greatest force engaged in the present conflict is the British navy. Ever since the outbreak of war it has guarded the homeland and the dominions jealously as a fitness protector her young. Sleepless eyes have watched the waters of the deep in search of enemies that might be on the errands of destruction. Seldom they were to be sight, but when they do Speer a fight for barks from her mouth terrifies and chases them away.

For the deck, it was their field of drill,
And the ocean was their grave.

Thus wrote Thomas Campbell of the oldtime British navy. It is true that the ocean is to the sons of Britain as familiar a field of activity as the land is to the sons of other nations. Lord Byron immortalized the thought of the average Britisher when he wrote:

And I have loved those Ocean! and may joy
O'youthful sports was on thy breast to be
Borne, like thy bubbles, onward: from a boy
I wantoned with thy breakers—they to me
Were a delight; and if the freshening sea
Made them a terror—'twas a pleasing fear,
For I was as it were a child of them,
And trusted to thy billows far and near,
And laid my hand upon thy mane—as I do here.

Iron fire, and light, and die as soon as sea in their winter clothing sometimes are amphibious creatures. These are portrays British soldiers dress the trenches.

But the sons of the British Sea- land as on the sea. The third pic-

Sewing Week AT CLAXTON'S

Do you realize how near is Spring, and it makes its usual demands upon the busy house keeper. These items of interest will assist you, now that you have to think of wearables for the whole family.

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SERGES FOR SUITS AND DRESSES—We can offer you some very exceptional values in good serges in the best navy shades. We want to call your attention to one in particular: Navy Serge in 40 inch cloth and an excellent finish at per yard **69c**

SERGE SUITING—37 INCH SUITING SERGE of fine twill and good wool. This is a value away below today's market. Per yard **$2.19**

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WHITE WAIST SILK, 2 good qualities, 20 inches wide, per yard 59c and 89c.

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See about these items soon. Easter is two weeks earlier this year than last; how busy Milliners are Easter week. Styles are very pretty.

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BERLIN SAYS GERMAN RETREAT WILL REVOLUTIONIZE THE FIGHTING

Berlin, March 20—The German evacuation of Bapaume, Roye, Noyon and Peronne is but a part of a great strategic undertaking which is expected to revolutionize the war on the entire western front and constitute one of the most decisive moves in the war.

Just as a month ago the Germans evacuated an important sector on the Ancre but kept the British busy for a week while British bombarded the empty trenches, so to-day's report shows the most tremendous movement of 1917 on any front. The sector for including the evacuated cities, virtually the entire western battle front. Reports from this section of the front tell of effective work of destruction carried out before the occupied land was given back to the French and the British, so that it will avail them nothing at present, according to views expressed here.

"With the withdrawal to the line are in this war and with the enormous amount of enemy territory held by our troops," said a high German military authority today, "there is no particular military significance attached to any special section of the enemy's territory. Therefore, we can give up a portion of the western front, secure even a shorter position of movement needed, and continue to hold the line as we have really assumed to do. We are not getting the enemy out of their trenches.

"The giving up of this portion of our front puts an end to all their Sneyr and Spring offensive plans. The hundreds of November hundreds of thousands of men have been at work building trenches, munition depots, and other valuable lines to prepare for the biggest Spring offensive of the war. Now it is gone for all time. It is not worth while to the face of our withdrawal all this to no purpose. Four months of work, without even months of labor, is of no value, have been rendered valueless, while many important parts of the enemy plans are likewise of no worth. They must make entirely new ones to cope with the new situation. That is a difficult matter, entailing weeks, yes months of work and requiring an enormous quantity of new construction. Meanwhile the enemy is left at the mercy of our plans.

"It is most important to remember that the new positions we are taking up back of the old front are built with the aid of every possible device developed during two and a half years of warfare. The old positions were the result of the breaking of the unfinished offensive of last Autumn. Many portions of our positions were held only with the greatest difficulty. The trenches were difficult to maintain and the artillery observation points as important in this kind of warfare, were lacking.

"The new positions are laid out in the best possible locations, with the best of observation points and deep concrete shelters for the battery positions. While the enemy is coming up to these he will be in the greatest possible difficulty himself in the devastated battlefield.

The debate "Resolved that Woman Should follow the fashion of 1917," which was held in the basement of the Methodist church under the auspices of the Adult Bible Class, was a splendid success. Miss I. Smyth and Mr. Abbot took the negative and Miss Dr. Bradley and Mr. W. H. Kinsey the affirmative. Many good points were given on both sides with the result that "Fashion still rules" and the women must follow it. A short programme was also given after which refreshments were served. The proceeds amounted to about $20.

Mr. Clarence Laidley, of Janetville, was in town on Saturday renewing acquaintances.

Pte. Sergt. McInnes arrived home on Monday evening on the 6 o'clock train and was greeted by a host of friends at the station. Sergt. McInnes left here with the 199th Battalion eight and nine months ago, but on account of rheumatism has been invalided home, not being able to go any further than England.

POWLES' CORNER

(Special to The Post.)

Mrs. P. Pethick and Miss Stella, of Peterboro, were visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Miss May Bullock and brother Gilbert motored to Bethany on Sunday, visiting friends.

Miss Hare, of Peterboro, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Powles.

Miss Harriet M. Powles has returned home from Toronto where she graduated as a trained nurse.

Miss May and Audrey Gillis spent a couple of days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Graham, of Blythe.

Miss Mildred Powles, of the U. S., spent the Easter holidays at school for a week owing to illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brown, of Peterboro, are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Greeves, of Peterboro, visited friends on Sunday.

Mr. Herb Hall, of Lindsay, was in town renewing old acquaintances recently.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Weir and family, of Harvey township, have moved into their new home formerly owned by Mr. Henry Nugent.

Mrs. Lou. of Toronto, is the guest of Pte. and Mrs. Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Boyd were in Peterborough Saturday on business.

Mrs. Kingdon, of Toronto, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Currie during the past week.

Miss Bullock was a visitor to Peterboro on Monday.

Miss Olive McQuade, of Toronto, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Rob ert McQuade, during the past week.

Mr. Geordie Thurston, of Dunsford, was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. B. Magee, over the week end.

Mrs. D. Hick was in Peterboro on business last week.

Mr. C. C. Crook, of Port Rowan, was in town last week renewing old acquaintances, the guest of his father-in-law, Mr. Thomas Henderson".

Mrs. Blanche Elliott, of Toronto, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones were visitors to Peterboro on Saturday.

Mrs. Howard Mulligan and son are visiting at the home of Mr. Robert Mulligan.

Mr. W. Atwell left on Saturday for his home in Saskatchewan, after an extended visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Atwell.

Mr. Sam Mills has bought the house owned by Mr. A. Stinson, formerly belonging to the Grundy estate, and up for the sale management of Mr. Rob Thorne, of Reaboro, is having it moved to a lot beside Mr. J. Sandy's, on Victoria street.

PROCEEDINGS OF EMILY COUNCIL

Council met at 10 o'clock a. m. Present: Reeve Hoder, W. Wilson and Councillors Samuel B. Carew, Martin Carroll, William Hertley and Wilmot Lowes. The Reeve in the chair. The minutes of last session were read approved and confirmed.

The following communications were received: From the Ontario Department of Agriculture re the appointment of a representative on the Board of Agriculture. From W. B. Irvine, Dunsford, enclosing an account amounting to $17.87 for gravel used on the north boundary. From the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board re the sending copy of Board's order approving Bylaw No. 427 providing for the establishment of a Municipal Telephone System.

The Clerk was instructed to advertise in the Lindsay Post and also the Gazette for tenders for the operation and for teams for the working of the road grader in this municipality for during the summer of 1917, said tenders to be received up to Tuesday, the third day of April next, such advertisement to state that the tenders may be sent in separately for operating and for teams and that the lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Moved by Councillor M. Carroll, seconded by Councillor Thurston of Dunsford, that the several persons hereinafter named be appointed pathmasters and overseers of highways for the present year for several road divisions as set forth in Bylaw Number 240, each person named being the pathmaster of for the division, the number of which is set opposite his name and being vested as the Councillors pathmasters be also a fence viewer, that is to say: Division 1; Henry A. Finley, 2; Joseph A. Rutherford, 4; Bert Courtney, 5; Wilbert Hatch, 6; Irving Murphy, 7; Chas. W. Rutherford, 8; Allen H. Toole, 9; Henry Magee, 10; Andrew Faulkner, 11; Wm. Wilson, 12; Thomas Ingram, 14; Milton O. Sherrin, 15; Thomas Ingram, 16; Wm. Wilson, 17; George A. McQuade, 18; Moses Ruth, 19; Thomas Graham 20; Thomas Hall, 21; Wm. Hall, 22; Wm. Connell, 22; John T. Switzer, 23; Mitchell McCarrell, 24; John Maguire 25 & 26; Thomas Perrin, 27; William J. McElwain, 28; Killiam Nurse, 29 & 30; John A. Milloy, 31; Michael Perrin, 32; William Hall, 33; Thomas Morrissey, 34 & 35; Thos. P. Crowley, 36; Michael Duffy, 37; Joseph Hickey, 38; Joseph Hickey, 39; Daniel Costello, 40; Thomas Flynn, 41; Bernard Murray, 42; Robert J. Doyle, 43; Thomas Duffy, 44; William J. Fergulson, 45; Charles Mcadam, 46; Joseph Morgan, 47; Robert Perrin, 48; Wilfrid J. McGahey, 49; Thomas F. Harrington, 50; William Curtin, 51; Thomas Mc-Donnell, 52; George Winn, 53; Daniel Flynn, 54; John Perdue, 54a; Joseph Hickey, 55; James O. Mitchell, 56; Thomas Atwell, 57; Michael Connell, 62; George Winn, 63; Daniel Flynn, 64; John Perdue, 64a; Joseph Hickey, 65; Thomas Atwell, 66; William Bannan, 67; Wesley Wilson, 68; John Speece, 69; Charles Speece, 70; Thomas Speece, 71; Dennis Houlihan, 72; Thos. English, 72; Edgar Best, 74; William Burgess, 75; Bert Brown, 76; Thomas Atwell, 76; Morgan J. O'Neill, 7; John O'Neill, 78; Herbert Brown, 79; Wilmot Lowes, 80; Walter G. Moncrief, 81; Martin McAuliffe, 82; Michael O'Connor, 83; Joseph Hickey, 84; Thomas Hickey, 85; Lewis Ferguson, 86; Leo Sullivan, 87; John Travis, 88; Hugh McLaughlin, 89; Alexander Macleod, 90; Dennis C. Scully, 91; Arthur Franks, 92; Albert Franks, 93, and that the following persons become be pathmasters in this municipality for the current year, that is to say, Geo. W. Fee, 1; Robert Bell, 2; James Jackson, 3; Andrew McCarrell, 4; George C. Franks, 5; Albert Sanderson, 6; William Burgess, 7; Percy E. Rose, 8; Daniel Winn, 9; Edward Houlihan, 10; Joseph Hickey, 11; Vincent Perdue, 12; John O'Neill, 13; John McMullen, 14, and that the Clerk do now forth the usual Bylaw to confirm these appointments. — Carried

Moved by Councillor S. B. Carew, seconded by Councillor M. Carroll, that the auditors' report as presented by the receiver and that the Clerk be and is hereby instructed to have 500 copies of the said auditors' report and statement printed for distribution.—Carried.

Moved by Councillor Wm. Lowes, seconded by Councillor Wm. Hertley that orders be issued on the Treasurer for payment of the following road and bridge account: Albert Davis, for gravelling on the 8th con. line, $7.—Carried.

Moved by Councillor S. B. Carew, seconded by Councillor M. Carroll, that orders be issued on the Treasurer for payment of the following miscellaneous accounts: Ontario Railway and Municipal Board, for law stamps required for order approving Bylaw No. 427 for the establishment of Emily Municipal Telephone System, $5; Wm. B. Irvine, for gravel used on north boundary as per acct. $17.87; John J. Magee, salary as auditor, $6; Dennis M. O'Leary, salary as auditor, $6; Township of Verulam, to balance boundary account, 1916, $16.75; Albert Davis, statute labor refuge, George J and P. Lowes for expenditure, 7.50.—Carried.

Moved by Councillor Wm. Hertley, seconded by Councillor Wm. Lowes, that Bylaw Number 433 for the purpose of confirming the appointment of pathmasters and fenceviewers in this municipality for the current year be now introduced and read a first time.—Carried.

Moved by Councillor Wm. Lowes, seconded by Councillor Wm. Hertley, that bylaw number 433 be now read a second a third time and finally passed and that the Reeve and Clerk do sign and affix the corporate seal thereto.—Carried.

Moved by Councillor S. B. Carew, seconded by Councillor M. Carroll, that this council do now adjourn to meet on Tuesday, the third day of April next at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon.—Carried.

PRESENTATION TO VALENTIA RESIDENTS

Valentia, March 21.—On Saturday evening, 17th inst, in spite of the storm that was raging, about fifty of our citizens assembled at the home of Mr. Fred Hore in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William Hore, who are moving to Manitoba. They spent a pleasant evening together, they presented Mr. and Mrs. Hore with an address and a gold ruby ring, clock and a dozen silver teaspoons as a slight token of remembrance from the numerous friends and neighbors of his childhood home. Miss Vear, Hicks read the following address:—

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hore:

We, a few of your friends are gathered here tonight on the eve of your departure from our midst, to bid good, in order that we may show our appreciation of your helpfulness in the various activities of this little community, and to express our good wishes to you as you go to your new home in the west.

In the adult bible classes of our Sunday school, you have both been of great service and we shall miss your ever ready help.

In the choir also you have never been sparing in giving of your best to assist in the Sunday evening meetings and in the social side of our Endeavor work.

Your help has been very much appreciated by the pastors also, particularly wish to thank Mrs. Hore for her kind assistance in getting up our Red Cross meetings, which was a great success, she gave her time most heartily and willingly to further our efforts in this good and worthy programme. This we all appreciate very much.

In leaving us you have our most sincere wishes for your future happiness. We hope that you may make many friends in the west, and that your efforts in the interests of the new community to which you are going may be as highly valued and prized as your services have been at Valentia. We trust also that your new surroundings will be congenial and pleasant to both of you.

As an expression of our good wishes please accept these tokens and a remembrance of the good wishes of your many Valentia friends.

Signed on behalf of the community: John A. Day, George Joblin, Howard J. Hicks, Percy Harper.

Valentia, March 17, 1917.

LINDEN VALLEY

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. A. V. Austin left on Tuesday to spend a couple of days with her friend, Miss Hinchcliffe at Peterboro.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rose, of Bobcaygeon, and sister, Miss Laura McCorvy, of Toronto, spent Sunday at their sister's, Mrs. Will Cruess.

Mr. H. Rogers is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Dolan, of Bobcaygeon.

Mr. Bert Prouse is at Mr. Will Cruesses this week.

We understand quite a few around here have purchased new cars: Mr. T. Wallridge, a Ford; Mr. T. Corry, a Ford; Mr. E. McCorvy, a Buick; Mr. Bonsy & Rodman, of Oakwood; Mr. Marvin Rogers, a Ford, Mr. L. Knight a Ford, from Willoughby, Mr. Lindsay; Mr. Harry Coad, a McLaughlin, from Arnold, of Lindsay.

Marriage doesn't necessarily increase the number of a man's faults; it just opens his eyes to them.

INCONSTANCY

The weather is a cruel thing.
As heartless as a Nero.
Today it smiles like gentle spring,
Tomorrow drops to zero.

Blarney Won't Win Him

He's looking for something different—and he's just one of a mighty army.

Our Clothes were Created for Him

"DRESS UP"

Come Now and See Our Spring Offerings

MEN'S SUITS	BOYS SUITS	HATS
Regular	Norfolks,	Wolthausen
Pinch-backs	Pinch-backs	Hawes
2 Button	D. B. Regular	Knox
Models	5.00 to 10.00	Blocks
15.00 & 18.00		2.00 to 5.00

SHIRTS — NECKWEAR — HOSIERY

Brilliant—Daring—Unusual colors

ED. C. ARMSTRONG

The Men's Wear Store

LITTLE BRITAIN

(Special to The Post.)

Rev. Manuel, of Oshawa, conducted services in the Christian church last Sabbath.

Mr. Wilton Gleaney of the L. C. I., spent the week end at his home here.

Mr. Garfield Heatlie is the new assistant in Mr. John Connee's mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shortreed spent a day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orron Weldon at Linden Valley last week.

Miss Violet Dancey has returned to her home after spending the past two months in this vicinity.

Pte. Archie Aldred, of Toronto, visited his home last week.

Miss Adeline Good of Oakwood, was the guest of her brother, Mr. Morley Goard, on Thursday.

Mr. James Price has disposed of his farm to Mr. J. Rich, of Bobcaygeon, for a good figure.

Sergt. J. Ferguson, of Lindsay, spent Friday last in the village.

Mr. William Heatlie is kept quite busy these days with his gasoline engine and sawing outfit.

Miss Flora Gillis spent the week end with friends at Enos.

Mr. Sam Hooper has removed his sawmill and lumber from Valentia to the Henderson bush in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Hancock, of Linden Valley, spent Monday of last week at Mr. W. G. Dedianz's.

We regret to hear that Mr. Silas Heatlie is not recovering very rapidly from his illness.

Mr. and Mrs. William Broad, also Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hancock, all well visited friends here last Friday.

Mr. J. B. Weldon of Oakwood spent Thursday last in this section.

Mr. W. Smith, P. O. Inspector of Toronto, visited the local office last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mark celebrated their golden wedding last Friday, having been married fifty years and relatives were present, when a very pleasant time was spent.

Mr. Robert Jewell and son Sherman, of Linden Valley, spent a couple of days with friends here last week.

The bazaar and tea which was held in the Methodist church last Thursday and Friday was a grand success. On Friday tea fas served from 5 to 8 o'clock, after which an At play was given entitled, "Dr. Lavelly's Niece". Hoodings were also given by Mrs. Wilson Webster of Oakwood and solos by Mr. R. Ferguson, of Lindsay.

We regret to hear of Mr. Noble Hicks' illness at Valentia, and hope he will soon recuperate again.

The annuel Easter supper and entertainment under the auspices of the Christian church will be given on Good Friday, April 6th. A very interesting entertainment will be given entitled "Mr. Minister's Wife's New Bonnet." For cast of characters see posters. Tea will be served from 5 to 8 o'clock and all are served. Come and enjoy a good time.

A number from here took in the party at Mr. Alma Gibson's of Pleasant Point on Wednesday evening last. Progressive 500 was played and a very pleasant time was spent.

A USEFUL MAN

Some years ago an Englishman met a party of American settlers journeying westward, and got into conversation with the leader, an eminently practical man.

"We only brought useful people along," said the leader. "For instance that big man over there is our blacksmith, the man next to him is our baker, and so on."

"But," said the Englishman, "that old fellow—surely he can't be of much use to you."

"Oh, yes he is," was the reply. "That's grandfather. We shall open our first cemetery with him."

WHO'S WHO AND WHAT'S HIS NAME

Margaret—Every time a man calls on me, mamma looks him up in "The Front Families of America," and if he isn't there, he isn't asked to call again.

Catherine—My mother looks up my family in the last chapter of Genesis.

Margaret—That right?

Margaret—She consults Dun and Bradstreet.—Michigan Gargoyle.

OR SUPERVISED HOCKEY

"I see they are going to teach swimming in the public schools."

"Happy days. Spinall training will be legitimate before they get through."—Kansas by Journal.

Lindsay Horse Fair

will be held in Lindsay

Thursday, Mar. 29th

and afterwards the last Thursday of each month.

There will be

AT LEAST 50 BUYERS

from all over the province to buy

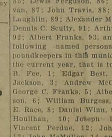
All Classes of Horses and best prices given

Bring in your Horses without fail on that day.

The Army of Constipation

is Growing Smaller Every Day.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are responsible—they not only give relief—



they permanently cure Constipation. Also, Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Sallow Skin. Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price

Genuine must bear Signature

Brent Good

OMEMEE

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. William Curry attended the funeral of the late John Bates at Millbrook on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Byers, of Toronto, were the guest of their daughter, Mrs. E. White, over the week-end.

Mr. Herb Hall, of Lindsay, was in town renewing old acquaintances recently.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Weir and family, of Harvey township, have moved into their new home formerly owned by Mr. Henry Nugent.

Mrs. Lou, of Toronto, is the guest of Pte. and Mrs. Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Boyd were in Peterborough Saturday on business.

Mrs. Kingdon, of Toronto, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Currie during the past week.

Miss Bullock was a visitor to Peterboro on Monday.

Miss Olive McQuade, of Toronto,

THE Amateur Photographer

who has tested our workmanship, knows that he will get the best results obtainable from his films, if he brings them to the

Morton Studio

Enlargements made from films at moderate prices

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HALIBURTON

(Special to The Post.)

Miss H. Ellis, of Lindsay, spent a few days under the parental roof here this week.

Mrs. Adams, of Lindsay has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Watling.

Mr. Wm. Compeers, who was recently the victim of a painful injury to his hand while at work in Lindsay, is spending a few weeks with his family here.

Mr. Chas. Henderson, who is the guest of his brother, Dr. R. K. and Mrs. Henderson, spent a few days in Toronto last week.

The soldiers attended service on Sunday evening last at the Methodist church.

The concert given by the boys in khaki on Monday evening was well attended and the moving pictures were much enjoyed by the large audience present.

During the evening Cadet Watson and Lieut. (Rev.) Daniels, gave stirring addresses, urging the young men to come forward and sign up to serve their country. Miss Nellie Millard and Mr. F. Maxwell delighted the audience with their songs and Mr. W. H. Curry was chairman for the evening.

Mr. J. Bowley, of Lindsay, visited his brother, Conductor and Mrs. Bowley last week.

We regret to report that Mrs. R. Fotheringham is on the sick list.

Rev. J. M. White spent a few days in Bond last week.

Mrs. Rev. Delong is ill at present and her friends are hoping that she may soon be restored to health.

We are all anxiously looking for spring these days. Not many signs of the good old summer time are appearing yet.

FENELON FALLS

(Special to The Post.)

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Friday afternoon, March 16th at the home of Mrs. A. Tiers, with a good attendance. Mrs. Jas. Lamb presided. After opening exercises the minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. It was found that the contents of baby recently sent to the Halifax Relief Belgian Relief Fund had been undervalued, the proper valuation being the $122.55 instead of $100, as at first stated. A communication from the editor of the Canadian Home Journal to the members of the Institute was read by the secretary, Mrs. C. Smith. The secretary thanked those who have been given this week for the entertainment in aid of the Canadian Red Cross Fund. It was found that the sum of $7.00 (rent of piano) was credited to this branch in its report of Red Cross work. A letter was given of the sum of $8.20 given to a family in need, by the Institute, as a member starting back to do service of $5. The collection for the day amounted to 75c. A patriotic solo given by Mrs. Dr. Gould was much appreciated. A paper on Backyard Gardening was given by Mrs. Dr. Calder and a reading selected from a Toronto Daily, which was a report of a meeting of the Conservation Commission on Wednesday, March 14, when after the regular business, Mrs. F. H. Pratt, of the Household Science Committee, in connection with the Women's War Time Tariff Commission, spoke on "Household Economy." Ladies had come a long way to hear the speaker, as all were so much interested. The subject was discussed with animation for some time. Votes of thanks were then given by various ladies who had had experience in the matter, to which Mrs. Pratt replied. A meeting at the home of Mrs. T. Coon. The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem. An entertainment given last week by Mrs. W. Sorgus in aid of the Canadian Red Cross was reported to be a success. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. D. Dickson's Hall. Rose Bud Corps of the chair. The programme was slightly varied from that announced. "Good-bye Mr. Dear," which was encored. A recitation, "Longmark," by Miss Girtie Hall was appreciated. The remainder of the programme being as formerly.

Mrs. Wm. Campbell's numerous friends will regret to hear that she fell a few days ago and broke a rib, which will confine her to her room for a few days.

Mr. Angus Fountain returned on Tuesday from Muskoka.

Miss S. McCallum has returned from Toronto, where she spent part of the winter.

Rev. D. E. Johnstone spent Monday in Omemee.

Dr. D. Gould left on Tuesday on a business trip to Toronto.

Mr. Jas. McCormack, a former resident of Fenelon, spent a few days at the Falls last week.

Mr. Chas. Chambers, of the L. C. L. spent the week end at his home in town.

Mrs. Jas. Lamb and Miss Lamb, of Bobcaygeon, were week end visitors here.

Mrs. W. J. Rodd of Oshawa has moved on to his farm, lately occupied by Mr. F. Grant Keown, who has moved on the farm recently occupied by Mr. J. J. Timms, who has moved to Sonya.

Messrs. Handy & Rodman sold a car to Mr. Thomas Wooldridge this week.

Master Irwin Deyman has been quite ill during the week. We are pleased to hear that he is now improving.

We regret to learn that Miss Florence Kellington is confined to her home with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Amey, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Conyeare, Mr. left on Monday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Anderson, of Woodville before returning to their home at Cunningham.

Master Douglas and Fred Thornlike returned home on Tuesday after visiting their grandmother, Mrs. G. Douglas, of Manilla.

KINMOUNT

(Special to The Post.)

The recruiting officers held an enrolment meeting in the C. O. F. hall, Tuesday, March 15th which was undoubtedly good. The meeting opened by all singing The Maple Leaf Forever. Next came two films, Imperial British army under review, and then Lord Kitchener and Sir Robert and staff. The chairman gave an excellent address, in which he made it plain that every man should be either a producer of a defender. A patriotic song by Lieut. Dubois was also much enjoyed. Then came three scenes on the canvas, scene on Somme front, General Joffre presenting medals to French heroes. A song by Pte. Schofield was well received. Two films "Wedding under difficulties" and "The torn trousers," were most laughable, and the audience certainly acted as though they enjoyed them. The address by Rev. Mr. Hockley was very interesting. A story in the form of "Love and war," and "A battle in the air between French and German aeroplanes" was then thrown on the canvas. A patriotic address by Lieut. Fleming was listened to very attentively and was highly instructive. The next was a "Battle under heavy shell fire." Another song by Miss Lou Cook was next, and was much enjoyed. Two films "Scene on Russian front," "Artillery being rushed into position under heavy fire." "Searching for wounded by trained dogs on Alpine range." A strong recruiting address by Lieut. Daniels was interesting and instructive. Next came two films, "Making and launching of H.M.S." which were not only interesting, but highly instructive. It was high class in every way and very much appreciated by a large audience.

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Most Interesting New Spring Styles now on Display---

New Dresses

We are now showing many beautiful models in the new Spring dresses in Silks, Serges, Georgette Crepes, Pussy Willow Taffettas, Crepe de Chines and Khaki Kool. These come in all the very latest styles and colorings, including gold, chartreuse, apple green, Belgian Blue, Champagne and all the staple shades. Many new models direct from New York among the lot. Prices $10.00 to $50.00.

New Coats

You will doubtless need a new Wrap Coat for Spring, and you will be more than delighted with the smart new styles we show in these garments. They come in Tweeds, Checks, Stripes, Covert Cloths, Poplins, Bedford Cords, fine French Serges, Silks and Bannket Cloths, full flare ripple effects, large collar, belted, trimmed with fine fashionable new bright shades of gold, honey, apple green, chartreuse, etc. A magnificent choice. Prices $6.00 to $35.00.

New Suits

The new Suits are decidedly charming. We show them in Poplins, Serges, Gabardines, Tweeds, Panamas, Covert Cloths and Silk. The new pleated coat effects with belt or sash, deep collars, fancy pockets, and full flare skirts make a decidedly interesting choice for you. These are the last word in suit styles for the Spring season. Prices $20.00 to $50.00.

The New Spring Millinery

The summer display of Hats usher in the advance Spring season. Great variety of shapes, materials and colors are now to be seen in our Millinery Department. Beautiful new models imported direct from New York and Chicago are a source of interest to our lady visitors these days.

This week we hold our advance opening. Come in and see these many new creations.

Dundas & Flavelles Ltd

1917

Spring Opening Displays in our MEN AND BOYS' DEPARTMENT

It is now for the Men's Store to demonstrate the styles for Spring!

And it will be a genuine pleasure to every man who has caught the spirit of the awakening season and whose ambition it is to be well and stylishly dressed to SEE this demonstration. But just to hint: be prepared for clothes that in their rather snug, close-fitting lines (cut at the waist by means of darts, and with narrow skirt) emphasize the erect figure, and accent the chest; straight, narrow and medium width trousers; high buttoning vest; natural shoulders and short, smaller sleeves. But all this is artistic and becoming designing. In fact, never was a season when Men's Clothes were so elegant! The smarter one makes himself look, the more, for instance, in lapels has ever been more dressy than the new medium width, semi-peaked, long, soft roll that is to grace the coats of the new season? In the materials (and they are the smoother fabrics), grey, blue and combinations of the two, in medium to light plaid tone, will be the correct choice in small checks, shoi effects, and hair line stripes and best of all, very popularly priced.

$8.00 to $22.50

Patten visited Port Hope relatives a few days this week.

Corp. Harold Wilson of the 109th Battalion, returned this week from overseas. He has had up several months in an English hospital with an injury to one of his ankles, and has been invalided home. His many friends are glad to welcome him back to his home town.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Byrnell are visiting relatives in Detroit.

Miss Allie Carley returned on Saturday after a visit to Cambray friends.

Mrs. (Dr.) M. T. McEachren, of Vancouver, B. C., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brandon.

Mr. W. H. Rosson, of Toronto, spent a few days at the Falls this week.

Mrs. Thos. Johnston attended a meeting of the Orange Grand Lodge in Belleville on Tuesday.

Miss E. McIntosh, has returned from a visit to Cambray friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Mark are visiting friends at Omemee, where Mr. Mark is undergoing treatment for the removal of cataracts from one of his eyes.

Mrs. G. G. Beall and children, of Lindsay, spent a few days at the Falls last week.

OAKWOOD

(Special to The Post.)

Owing to the continued illness of Miss Ethelwyn Dix, our junior teacher, her sister, Miss Blanche Dix, of Little Britain, has taken charge of the school, which reopened on Monday morning.

Pte. Cecil Hodgson, of Toronto spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hodgson.

We regret to see the name of Pte. Russell W. Richardson, of St. Christopher, Manitoba, among the wounded. Pte. Richardson is a brother of Mr. Hugh King, Oakwood.

Mrs. Thos. Amey, of Cannington, who has been seriously ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Cappon, for some weeks past, has recovered sufficiently as to be moved to the home of her sister, Mrs. Peter Anderson. Her nurse, Miss Mabel Kirkland, accompanied her. Her many friends hope that she will continue to improve in health.

Mr. and Mrs. James West have moved from Lindsay this week to become residents of Cameron.

POINTERS FOR BACK YARD GARDENERS

In cabbage, cauliflower, and Brussels sprouts, the shortest stem is the best. If 3 or 4 inches, with a good root system, he advised. Plant them in the poorest soil you have, early, leaving first dipped each plant into a batter of soil, water and manure. Cut off the heads of the leaves, but be careful not to injure the central cluster, cultivate very well. When the little white flower heads appear, tie leaves over them to shield sun.

Onions—Grow from seed, planting as early as possible. 3-4 to 1 inch deep in rows 12 inches apart. Tramp on soil after seed is sown. Thin out, and pull back almost to the bulbs and the tops are beginning to dry. Lay on the ground and let the leaves avoid lapping for two or six days. For pickling onions sow the seed one-half to three inches apart in rows 1 foot apart. Sow parsnip seed in drills 2 inches wide. Pull July 15, and dry in baskets 6 inches deep.

Large vines are not suitable for small garden spaces. For cucumbers, squash and melons, plant several seeds in a hill, and when plants are 2 or 3 inches high pull out the small ones, leaving only the two strongest and trim off a few leaves.

INSECT PESTS.

Asparagus, beetles—Blue or yellow. Keep the stems cut short, and feed the birds, or let the poultry loose.

Cabbage Worms—Dust through sacking a few following mixtures: 3 tablespoonfuls flour and 1 teaspoonful Paris Green, or use hellebore. For the maggot use 1 oz. corrosive sublimate to 10 gallons of water, pouring over the plant, and also over the stem once a week for 5 weeks, or place a disk of tar paper close to the ground and close about the stock.

Aphis—A spray of whale oil soap, 1 lb. to 7 gallons of water, or tobacco dust in the growing season.

The squash bug and tomato worm must be hand picked.

MINIMUM WAGE FOR BOY FARMERS

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Dr. W. A. Riddell, superintendent of neglected children's branch, has prepared an outline of the campaign among High school pupils to secure help on the farms during the approaching season. The campaign is divided into four parts: Recruiting by the boys, interesting the farmer, placing the boy with the farmer, and keeping the boy with the farmer.

The recruiting campaign will consist of circulating the principals of High schools, appointing speakers to address the various High schools; appointment of a farm service secretary in each High school; registration of the boys, recording securing the consent of the parents, and the rating of boys by principal and secretary.

Boys will be sent direct from camp or suburban bureau to farmer, following which up the farmer is given to each boy, care of district representative. The boy is to report in town or village on departure of his own accommodation if the farmer is not at the station to meet him.

The wages of $12 per month is to hold for the first two weeks after engagement, subject to new agreement thereafter.

The boy is expected to give the best service of which he is capable to the farmer, remembering that in doing so he is rendering the best service to his country.

The farmer is expected to be considerate with the boy, and to give the boy time to "get his feet wash," i.e. to adjust himself to his new surroundings and labor.

The farmer is expected to pay the boy as much above the minimum of $12 as the boy is worth.

The boy is to be allowed to spend the week-end at home, wherever possible, at least once a month.

The Post's Want Advts. pay.—Try one.

SIXTY ADDITIONAL TOWNS TAKEN BY ALLIES ON WEST FRONT

London, March 19.—Assisted by cloudy weather, the Germans continued their great withdrawal from the departments of Oise and Aisne, in France to-day, evacuating approximately 500 more square miles of territory along a front that has now extended to 100 miles. The French troops advanced at some points to a depth of twelve more miles, and the British to a depth of between two and eight miles. The important towns of Ham and Chauny, the entire Allette-Soissons line, and twenty additional villages fell into General Nivelle's hands, while the British soldiers liberated forty more villages that had been crushed under the heel of the invader for two years.

While Prince Rupprecht's forces were retiring to their new system of defences between Lille and Arras, the troops of the German Crown Prince moved forward on the Verdun front last night and struck a blow from their side on the heights of the Meuse. Following a bombardment of intense violence, the Germans swept forward against the French positions between the Avocourt Wood and Dead Man Hill. At most points along this line the assailants met with an impenetrable curtain of fire. In the most eastern part of the wood and on the east slope of Hill 304, however, they succeeded in penetrating French trenches on fronts of 500 and 800 yards, and capturing some 150 prisoners. Powerful counter-attacks during the night and this morning won back for the French virtually all the positions lost. The German losses are reported to have been enormous.

The continued retirement of the Germans from the Scarpe to the Oise has now practically reached the great Arras and Noyon salients. The fluid, hourly-shifting line which marks the present front of the British and French forces extends almost straight northwest to southeast, from Arras to Soissons. Beyond the advanced units of the allied armies stands the Lille-Laon line, along which the Germans are expected to with that on the recently evacuated Bapaume-Peronne-Chaulnes line.

The latest advices from the battle front indicate that the Germans already have reached their new defensive front, and are now preparing to repel the forward sweep of the allied forces. British and French cavalry, operating extensively along the entire stretch of open country, are still in touch with the German rearguards, but the main body of Hindenburg's troops is believed to be entrenched to-night. The allied engineers have succeeded in several sharp encounters with groups of Uhlans screening the retreat of the German army.

French cavalry caught up with the enemy's rear units at several points to-day and pressed on over the Hamel-St. Quentin, the Soissons-Maubeuge, and the Aillette-Soissons roads, the important links in the system of communications within and on the eastern rim of the Noyon sector.

TURKISH FORCES MAY BE TRAPPED BRITISH GAIN ON THE TIGRIS

London, March 19.—The following official communication was issued this evening regarding the operations of the British troops against the Turks in Mesopotamia:

"During Saturday night Gen. Maude's troops effected a crossing of the Diala River and occupied the village of Bakriah and a part of the town of Bakubah on the left bank of the river. The enemy retired hastily toward Khanikan.

"Bakubah is a prosperous town, spread over a considerable extent on the river bank, and is a good supply centre. The inhabitants are friendly and ready to trade."

Bakubah lies about 25 miles northeast of Bagdad on the Diala.

TURKS ON PERSIAN BORDER

Further progress by the Russians in Persia, who have now reached the vicinity of the Turkish border, is reported by the Russian War Office, as follows:

"Caucasian front: In the region south of the town of Bana we dislodged the Turks from a number of positions. The Turks are retiring in the direction of Sherabad (Sherabi Paslwin, across the border, in Turkey.)

"In the direction of Kirmanshah we are pursuing the enemy. We have occupied Harmahad, 29 miles southwest of Kirmanshah.

The military expert of the New York Times says:

"With the Russians marching westward and the British eastward along the same road, the defeated of the Turks being pinned down between them are exceedingly good. There seems no apparent way out for the Turks in Persia. They are caught in a trap which only some great error on the part of the British or Russian commander can fail to spring.

"The great stumbling block to Russian success on the southern part of their line last year was the town of Khanikin, which controls the road let through the mountain passes of Persia into the Mesopotamian Valley. The Russians were close to this town a year ago, but the advent of hot weather made a retreat to the mountains advisable. Before either of that action is now apparent. But the British today are not a great way from Khanikin—less than fifty miles—and the Russians coming east from Kirmanshah are but little further away. It is as if the Turks were in Philadelphia with one army coming against them from New York and a second from Baltimore; the distances involved are about the same. The gates are slowly but surely being shut and may close before they can be reached."

HEARTLESS WRETCH

The sweet young thing approached the famous horticultural zoologist.

"Tell me," she begged, "the best way to distinguish the poisonous fungi from the edible."

"Eat 'em," was the curt rejoinder.—Chicago Herald.

MARCH WEATHER RHEUMATIC WEATHER

Victims Can Cure Themselves With Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

With the coming of March people who are afflicted with rheumatism begin to have unpleasant realization of their trouble. The weather is changeable — balmy and sprightly one day, raw, cold and piercing the next. It is such sudden changes of weather that sets the pangs and torments of rheumatism, lumbago and sciatica going. But it must be borne in mind that although weather conditions start the pains, the trouble is deeply rooted in the blood, and can only be cured through the blood. All the liniments and lotions in the world can't cure rheumatism. Rubbing may seem to ease the pain while you are rubbing, but there its value ends. Only through the blood can any cure rheumatism. That's why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have so many thousands of cures of this trouble to their credit. They are the blood which they actually make drives out the poisonous acid and rheumatism is vanquished. Among many sufferers from rheumatism who have been cured by this medicine is Mr. C. H. McGee, Postal Clerk, Toronto for the G. T. R., at Peterboro, who says:—"In the course of my work I am naturally exposed to all kinds of weather, with the result that about two years ago I contracted rheumatism which settled in my legs. At times I could scarcely walk, and often had to quit my duties owing to the intense pain and pain. I tried different remedies without getting any help until I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I used six boxes of these and can say that I am about as well as ever I was, I still take them occasionally, and I hope that my experience may be of benefit to some other rheumatic sufferer."

If you suffer from rheumatism, or any form of trouble due to the blood, begin to cure yourself today with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

UNION CREEK

(Special to The Post.)

Mrs. Robert Henderson visited friends at Reaboa and Omarm last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Florence Harding, of Kinmount, with a party of friends, including Mrs. (Dr.) White and son, Argyle, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright on Sunday.

The storm on the 17th left the roads in bad condition, drifts here and there on everywhere, and many were the derelict experienced by motor people on their return from the village on Saturday evening.

EVERY VILLAGE WAS DEVASTATED AS GERMAN FORCES RETREATED

Paris, March 19.—A "military eyewitness" writing from the front says:

"The forward march of our troops is so rapid and villages are so promptly freed that one is unable to stop in any of them to give a description. Furthermore, all are absolutely alike, devasted to the foundations.

"At Nesle, a village of 2,500, the French troops entered at 10 o'clock in the morning. The entire population was in the streets crying for joy and waving all the tri-colored flags that was to be found. A French aeroplane had the first honor of alighting at Nesle. The aviator, flying over the city, saw on the roof of a house a man waving a French flag. He landed immediately; the last of the Germans had just left.

"At Roye the entry into the village was difficult. Streets no longer exist. Gaping holes caused by the explosion of big mines separate the quarters, which are in ruins. The Arve River penetrated some of the large excavations, which were transformed into little lakes. Here again damage was savagely and methodically organized. The entire village, looming up like an amphitheatre, offers from the view only houses with bare walls and doors broken in. Tapestries and the organ resounds. To describe the joy of the inhabitants is impossible. They grasped our hands in passing. The day for which they have waited so long has arrived. We question them if necessary. Many of them did not hope to see the return of our troops. The Germans had spoken of evacuating all.

"On February 17 one hundred and ninety of them had received an order at o'clock in the morning an order to leave toward evening. They left, crying. Since then no more have been taken away.

"The Germans did not expect you so soon," was the unanimous cry. We were told by the inhabitants who remained that the Germans grouped in certain villages the populations of a number of hamlets.

LIVED LIKE A SAVAGE

"Continuing our visit in Roye we encountered on the summit of the city an old man, tall, with white hair and mustache. He waved his arms in being incapable at first in his emotion of saying a word He lived in the last house of the town, where for 1050 lbs., about 9 years old, shod with inner zinc shoes, red cutter, high cheek bones, and the look of a savage. He lived like a savage. Everything was in progress, he went up to the roof of his house, and from after saw masses of soldiers in blue, khaki helmets scintillating in the sun.

"I was waiting for the French," he said. 'I looked for their red trousers, but saw only men in unknown uniforms. My heart stopped. I said to myself: Are they more Germans? But suddenly from the small groups I heard across the country came exclamations. I understood they were the French warriors, the French clothed in blue who had arrived."

"We left the village under the guidance of this old man." The Germans, he said, had removed the bells themselves from the steeples and wired to the Township of Ops. After due consideration this bylaw was passed.

The following accounts and appointments were then read and passed: For Road Beat No. 5, Wesley Walden; Road Beat No. 11, Harold Moore; Beat No. 21, Dennis Murphy; Beat No. 28, John Hickson, (Mt. Horeb), Beat No. 31, Sidney Hall; Beat No. 34, John Giltenane; Beat No. 39, James Lee; Beat No. 52, George Bynell; Beat No. 57, Wilson Nicholson; Beat No. 63, Geo. Maloney; No. 77, Walter Arksey; No. 82, Bryan Tully; No. 84, James Mowat; No. 90, Fred Hill, Woodcock; No. 98, Patrick Leddy. Fence viewers—No. 16, Thomas Little, Pontypool; No. 17, James Saylor; No. 1, John Lynch; No. 8, Walter Clark.

On motion of Mr. Bell, seconded by J. Dayell, the following accounts were ordered paid: T. Reede, balance on gravelling, $21.60; Jas. McCulley, for barring a nuisance, 75c.

Council adjourned to meet April 16th at 10 a.m.

RAILWAYS AND EASTER RATES

The railway companies have issued circulars to their agents throughout the country reporting rates for Easter. Reduced rates will only be given students and commercial travellers.

HORSE AND CUTTER WAS STOLEN

On Tuesday a stranger called at Mr. Frank Armstrong's, Eldon, and hired a horse and cutter. He explained that he was going to work at the Arena, but wished to drive a few miles out in the country to purchase a cow. He failed to return with the cutter, however, and Mr. Armstrong informed Chief Short, who promptly notified the police in other places and the result was the arrest on Wednesday morning of the stolen outfit and man. From Armstrong's livery a black horse, 15 hands high, weighs 1050 lbs., about 9 years old, shod with inner zinc shoes, red cutter, high cheek bones, and the look of a savage. He lived like a savage. Everything was in progress, he went up to the roof of his house, and from after saw masses of soldiers in blue, khaki helmets scintillating in the sun.

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CENSORSHIP

The Man Behind the Millinery — Will you kindly remove your hat? I can't see the screen.

The Lady Behind the Millinery — I'd remove it gladly, but I don't consider this a fit for you to see.—Boston Globe.

SICKLY BABIES

Sickly babies—little ones who are troubled with their stomach and bowels; weakened by infantile indigestion and one who cannot sleep well—can be made healthy and happy with Baby Smiles. Mrs. Alex. Mitchell Damons, Val Brilliant, Que. writes: "Please send me a box of Baby's Own Tablets as I have come to be without them. I have used them for constipation and vomiting and am well pleased with the results these Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

PROCEEDINGS OF OPS COUNCIL

Ops council met March 12th at 10 a.m. with Councillor Brock, presiding.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and on motion of J. Patterson, seconded by J. Brock, were confirmed.

Communications were read from the Department of Agriculture, re township representatives on the Board, from several pathmasters and others.

Interviews: W. I. ell, re opening of Omemee road, that is not yet assumed with snow. T. Reede, re the necessary steps to be taken in instituting damage work involving several parties to be benefitted.

Moved by W. Best, seconded by J. Dayell, that Frank Gilman and Robert Reid be reappointed township representatives on the Board of Agriculture.

A deputation from the Lindsay Central Fair waited on the council to ask for a liberal donation of special prizes for Ops competitors at the fair. This matter was referred to next council meeting for consideration.

Mr. McKinnon, of Fenelon council, was present representing the Bombay Telephone Company in asking the passing of a bylaw granting the right to erect poles and wires in the Township of Ops. After due consideration this bylaw was passed.

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SERGT. NORTHEY WELCOMED HOME

Fenelon Falls, March 20.—Sergt. Harold Northey, who arrived on Tuesday evening about 11 o'clock and was met by a crowd of enthusiastic citizens on his arrival in town, amongst them being Reeve Tiers and Mr. A. McFarland, President of the Citizens' Patriotic League. The procession was headed by the members of the brass band who played "Keep the Home Fires Burning" during part of the 25th Bn., who are at present here. The Line fiends Monday.

sleigh with Sergt. Northey, his father, Mr. W. Northey and brother Roy, was escorted by the citizens and boys with sleighs and others, to the home of the former, where three cheers were given for Sergt. Northey, who responded with a few appropriate remarks. He greeted his friends with hearty handshakes and a word for everyone. He looks well and will have no doubt many interesting stories to tell of his adventure since he left Fenelon Falls with the 36th Bn.

PLEASANT POINT

(Special to The Post.)

Miss Florence Mitchell returned to Toronto Monday after a week's visit with her brother, Everett Mitchell, Riverview.

We are sorry to hear Mrs. Jas. Byren is improving so slowly.

Mr. John Byers returned Saturday after a visit at his brother's, Quebec.

Mr. W. Hamilton spent last week in Morrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Anderson, of Powles' Corners, spent Sunday at Riverview.

Mr. Francis Brien called on Scotch Line friends Monday.

Quality first—The best we can procure.

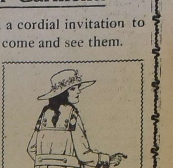
J. SUTCLIFFE & SONS

The lowest price first—and only one price.

Advance Opening Display of New Millinery and Women's Ready-to-wear Garments

All during this week and we extend you a cordial invitation to come and see them.

This Suit $30 This Suit $25 This Suit $25



This Coat 12.75

Popular priced Millinery that has a very exclusive style to it in every detail.

Every Garment correct in style for the coming season

This Coat $15

This Coat $20 This Coat $15 This Coat $35

You will appreciate their good quality.

J. Sutcliffe & Sons

ELDON STATION

(Special to The Post.)

CAMBRAY

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. St. John, Master may and Dorothy visited at the home of nor sister, Mrs. J. McCullough, Linday, on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Urban White, Lindsay, spent Sunday with their parents in the village.

Mr. John Clarke spent Monday in Port Perry.

Mr. W. Gilbert made a business trip to Peterboro on Monday last.

Mrs. Joe Jewell, Cannington, spent Sunday with her parents in the village.

Mr. E. Harvey is moving to the village and will occupy Mr. Alger's house.

Mr. Henry Paton left for the N.W.T. on Tuesday last, also his sister, Mrs. Anderson, returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Parish, Powles Corners, visited at the home of Mr. Kendall last week.

The Post's Want Advts. Pay—Try one.

Mr. Victor Dunn spent Sunday at his home in Kirkfield.

Mr. John McSherry, sr., left for his home in Leduc, Alberta, on Tuesday morning, after spending several months the guest of his sons here.

We are very sorry to report that Mr. D. D. Campbell is still very ill.

Miss Ray McMillan spent the week end at her home, Glenarm.

Mrs. Angus Campbell and son Tom, of Francis, Sask., are the guests of Mr. Murdock Campbell.

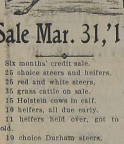
Miss Sadie A. McEachern arrived home Friday night after spending two weeks in Highland Grove the guest of her sister, Miss McEachern.

Mr. Walter Finney, of Kirkfield, was in the village on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Emery, of Fenelon Falls, spent Sunday at P. R. McEachern's.

Miss Mary Currie is at present the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. Kearns, Dublin.

Our teacher, Miss Mae McFadyen, is at her home in Lindsay, suffering from an attack of pneumonia.



Sale Mar. 31,'17

Six months' credit sale.
25 choice steers and heifers.
25 red and white steers.
35 grass cattle on sale.
15 Holstein cows in calf.
10 heifers, all due early.
11 heifers held over, got to be sold.
10 choice Durham steers.
10 young calves, any price.
8 cheap work horses.
6 good sound young horses.
2 heavy pigs, good condition.
4 sets single harness, new.
1 set new double harness.
50 halters, got to be sold.
2 dozen whips, rawhide.

TERMS

Six months' credit will be given on cattle and sixty days on horses, to parties furnishing approved joint notes. A discount at rate of 7 per cent. allowed for credit amounts, $15.00 and under cash.

W. A. FANNING, Prop. G. JACKSON, Auct.

VALENTIA

(Special to The Post.)

Mrs. J. A. Swain has returned from visiting friends in Cavan. Her sister is spending a few days with her.

Mrs. A. P. Mark spent a few days with friends in Cartwright last week.

Our young people went over to Nestleton recently for a rehearsal of their play entitled. "My Brother's Keeper." They report a pleasant and profitable time.

Our Woman's Institute have gathered a large quantity of material for the Red Cross. They expect to ship it out soon.

We are pleased to see that Mr. Warren, who has been ill for a while is able to be out again.

The many friends of Mr. Noble Hicks will be sorry to learn that he is under the doctor's care. We trust that he may speedily regain his wanted health and strength.

Our pastor, Rev. Mr. Spence, started a series of revival services in the Methodist church here last week. We feel confident that much good will result from the special effort, and that the work may still go on.

She—You don't mind my talking so much, do you?

He—Indeed; but ifactiously I may mind after we are married.

She—But I shan't mind then.

Our Cameras and Developing and Enlarging Service

We are pleased to announce that we have established a 1 day service in connection with Ansco Cameras.

No more waits for your pictures; bring us the films and receive them in two days at latest.

Give this service a trial and compare the work with any you have ever had done if it is not superior there will be no charge.

We have a large stock of Ansco cameras, films, etc., and will be pleased to show them.

Ommeme, March 20th, 1917.

R. L. Morgan

Druggist & Optician

P.S.—We sell Swan fountain pens.

FARMERS NOTICE!

The Academy presents an up to date photo play program of Dramas and Comedies

Every Saturday Afternoon

ADMISSION — 10c

LINDSAY MARKETS

Lindsay, March 23rd.

GRAIN QUOTATIONS

Bran—$25.
Barley—$1.10.
Buckwheat—$1.20.
Oats—65c.
Rye—$1.20.
Goose wheat,—$1.65.
Wheat, spring—$1.65.
Wheat, fall—$1.78.
Shorts—$2.30.
Rolled oats—$4.00.
Flour, best Manitoba—$5.10.
Flour, best pastry—$4.55.

PRODUCE PRICES

Eggs—34c-36c.
Dairy butter—38c-40c.
Potatoes—$3.00.

CATTLE PRICES

Cattle—$7—$9.
Hogs—$14.25—$14.50.
Lambs—$11—$14.
Sheep—$7.50—$9.50.
Hides—$14—16c.
Wool, unwashed—36c—37c.
Wool, washed—46c—47c

RETAIL PRODUCE MARKET

Following prices are being charged by Lindsay stores to the consumer;

Butter—42c.
Cream—43c.
Eggs, strictly fresh—32c—35c.
Butter—42c-43c.
Ducks—25c.
Chickens—25c.
Hens—16c—18c.
Geese—26c—28c
Turkeys—35c—40c
Cream—40c. qt.
Hay—$18-$19.
Hogs—$14.75—$15.
Straw—$8.00.
Cattle—$3—$10.

FOR SALE

FAM FOR SALE—Lot 18, con. 5, Eldon, 100 acres; 120 under cultivation, balance in timber and pasture. New barn, stone foundation; good house and outbuildings. Possession. Close to school and market; rural mail. A good opportunity to secure a first-class farm at reasonable price. Apply to Murdock Campbell, R. R. No. 5, Woodville, Ont.

WANTED

WANTED — A good capable girl to do general housework. Apply at once to Mrs. R. M. Bell.

Trombone For Sale $20.00.
Trombone, Bb; trombone case. Also beginner's book of instruction for sale, $20.00. Apply Box 387, Lindsay.

BROWN'S MUSIC STORE sells piano at $2 down and $1 per week; different makes from which to select. Also new and second hand organs and all other kinds of musical instruments together with books and sheet music of every class. Repairs and orders for goods promptly attended to.

TENDERS

will be received by the undersigned up to Tuesday, April 3rd for an operator for; and for the rental and tenders for the working of the Road Grader in the Municipality of the Township of Ops during the season of 1917.

Tenders may be sent in separately for operating and for teams.

The lowest of any tender not necessarily accepted.

R. G. GRANDY,
Township Clerk.

FARMERS, ATTENTION!

This should be a year of good production. In order to assist you Flavelles Ltd. have ordered several cars of land plaster. To get advantage of the lowest price, your order should be placed at once. Freight rates are sure to advance.

KIRKFIELD MILLINERY OPENING.

Kirkfield millinery openings will be held in Mr. Dan McEachern's store, conducted by Mrs. Ted Hayward, (nee) Olive Shier, at Cannington, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, March 27th, 28th and 29th. All the ladies of Kirkfield and surrounding country are cordially invited to attend. There will be on display all the latest styles and trimmings for both Ladies and children and at prices that will please everyone.

DON'T

Let your speeches be brief
And remember, my son,
That your talk, like good beef,
Shouldn't be overdone.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

MARCH 19th

Toronto Cattle Market

Choice weighty steers . $10.75 to		$11.25
do. medium	10.20	10.60
Butchers', choice handy	10.00	10.40
do. good	9.40	10.00
do. medium	8.50	9.00
do. common	8.00	8.50
Butchers' choice cows	9.00	9.25
do. good	7.50	8.00
do. medium	6.50	7.00
Butchers' bulls, choice	9.00	10.00
do. good	7.00	8.25
do. medium	6.00	6.75
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs	8.25	9.25
do. med., 700 to 800	7.50	8.00
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs	6.75	7.25
Canners	5.25	5.75
Milkers, good to choice	85.00	100.00
do. com. and med	60.00	70.00
Springers	65.00	100.00
Calves, veal, choice	13.50	14.00
do. medium	13.00	13.25
do. common	8.00	8.50
do. grass	6.00	7.00
do. heavy fat	4.00	4.50
Lambs, choice	14.50	15.25
do. culls	12.00	12.50
Sheep, ewes, light	10.25	10.75
do. heavy and bucks	8.50	9.00
do. culls	6.00	7.00
Hogs, weighed off cars	14.50	15.00
do. fed and watered	13.25	13.40
do. f.o.b. country	13.65	13.90

Toronto Grain Markets

Manitoba wheat—Track, bay ports. No. 1 northern, $2.34; No. 2 northern, $2.31½; No. 3 northern, $1.30¼; No. 4 wheat, $1.27½; feed wheat, No. 1 feed, $1.27½; No. 2 feed, $1.24½.

Manitoba oats—Afloat, delivered, No. 2 C.W., 75½c; No. 3 C.W., 72½c; extra No. 1 feed, 72½c; No. 1 feed, 70c.

American corn—No. 3 yellow, $1.33, subject to embargo.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, $1.32 to $1.34, according to freight outside; No. 3 winter, $1.30 to $1.32.

Ontario oats—New, nominal, to freights outside; No. 2 white, 64c to 66c; No. 3 white, 63c to 65c.

Peas—No. 2, $2.25.

Barley—Malting, $1.31 to $1.33.

Buckwheat—$1.28.

Rye—No. 2, new, $1.43 to $1.45.

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags, $9.70; second patents, $9.20; strong bakers, in jute, $8.90, Toronto.

Ontario flour—Winter, new, track, Toronto; prompt shipment, according to sample, $7.50 to $7.60; in 98-lb cotton bags, trade, bulk, seaboard.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered, Montreal freights: Shorts, $40; bran, $38; middlings, $42; good feed flour, $3.10.

Hay—Track, Toronto, extra, No. 2, $17; mixed, $15 to $15.50; timothy, $15.50 to $19.

Oatmeal—Rolled oats, carlots, per bag of 90 lbs., $3.45; small lots, $3.65. Cornmeal, carlots, per bag of 98 lbs., $4.15; small lots, $4.30. Gold dust cornmeal, 98-lb bags, $3.35, 49-lb bags, $3.50 in small lots; fancy yellow cornmeal, 98-lb bags, $4.15; in small lots. Rolled wheat, 100-lb. barrels, $6.25. Whole corn flour, 98-lb. bags, $3.75 to $4. Hominy grits, $3.75 to $4.

Wholesale Produce

Toronto wholesale prices to the trade:

Eggs—

New-laid, cartons	$ .33 to $ .39
do. loose	.30 .37

Butter—

Creamery prints, fresh	.43 .45
Creamery prints, storage	.42 .43
Creamery solids	.42 .43
Choice dairy prints	.40 .42
Ordinary dairy prints	.36 .37
Bakers'	.32 .33

Cheese—New, large, 27½c; twins, 27½c. Old, large, 27½c to 28c; twins, 28c to 28½c.

Live Poultry—

Chickens, if fat	24c 25c
do. if lat	22c 23c
Chickens, cockerels	22c 23c
Fowl, over 4½ lbs	22c 23c
Geese—Japanese, best pickers, 18-22c; prime, 15-17c; Canadian, hand picked, 15-17c; mixed, 13-15c.	
Honey—Tins, 2½-lb. tins, 14c a lb.; 5-lb. tins, 13½c a lb.; 10-lb. tins, 13c a lb.; 60-lb. tins, clover, 12½c to 13c a lb.; buckwheat, 11½c to 12c a lb.	
Maple syrup—Imperial gallon tins, $3.75; No. 2, $3 to $3.15. Buckwheat honey, 60-lb. tins, 9c to 9½c a lb.	

Meats—Wholesale

Toronto wholesale meat quotations to the trade as follows:

Beef, forequarters, 200 to 300 lbs $15.00 do. hindquarters 26.00 18.00 do. choice 23.00 do. common 21.00 18.00 Veal, carcass, 50 to 70 lbs 20.00 do. medium 18.00 14.00 do. good 17.00 14.00 Heavy hogs 18.00 14.00 Shop hogs 18.00 14.00 Abattoir hogs 19.00 20.00 Mutton, heavy 20.00 18.00 do. light 24.00 23.00 Lambs, yearling 31.00 28.00

Chicago Livestock

Cattle—Receipts, 500; market steady; beeves, $6 to $13.60; stockers and feeders, $5.50 to $9.50; cows and heifers, $3.70 to $10.75; calves, $10 to $14.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; market unsettled; light, $14.25 to $14.60; mixed, $14.40 to $14.65; heavy, $14.40 to $14.70; rough, $14.40 to $14.55; pigs, $13.75 to $13.35; bulk of sales, $14.45 to $14.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; market steady; lambs, native, $13.20 to $14.85.

Seed Quotations

The following are the seed prices Toronto wholesalers are paying at country points:

Alsike, No. 1, bushel	$16.00 to $16.80
do. No. 2	15.00 15.80
do. No. 3	7.00 9.00
do. rejected	4.25 6.00
Timothy, cwt.	5.00 6.50
do. com. grades	3.00 3.50
Red clover, No. 1, bu.	9.75 10.00
do. No. 2	9.00 9.50
do. No. 3	8.00 8.50

HYMENEAL

MEYERS—FIELDS

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meyers, 271 Brock Street, Peterboro, on Monday afternoon, March 19, by Rev. D. Power, B. D., took place the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lillian Olive Meyers and Edmund Roy Fields, of Coboconk. The bride was given in marriage by the father of Mr. Meyers, was given away by her father. There were no attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Fields left for a honeymoon trip and will reside at Coboconk.

OBITUARY

THOMAS ROBSON.

The death occurred last week of an aged and respected resident of Pelee Island in the person of Mr. Thomas Robson, who passed away on Friday morning at the residence of his son, Mr. Wm. Robson. Deceased, who had reached the advanced age of 92 years, was born in England, and came to Canada fifty-six years ago, settling in the township of Clark, afterwards removing to Somerville. His latter years were spent on Pelee Island. His wife, who was Miss Lithgow, predeceased him several years ago; also two daughters, Mrs. Paley and Mrs. Thomas, Mr. Wm. Robson of town being the only surviving member of the family.

The funeral on Sunday afternoon to the Pelee Island cemetery was largely attended.

RICHARD WRIGHT.

One of the oldest and most respected residents of Mariposa, Mr. Richard Wright, died on Friday March 2nd, 1917, in the 91st year.

The deceased was born in the township of Clavan, Canada, and when a small boy moved with his parents, settling on E. 13th concession of Mariposa, where, for over eighty years he resided.

Richard Wright was a man of an equal capabilities, and his well known integrity brought him many offices of reputation. His willing generous service made him a much sought after and honored neighbor and friend. It may be truly said of Mr. Wright that he was a friend to all and to his friends, he had no occasion to hide his thoughts or actions as sincerity marked his every action.

The deceased had been a member of the Methodist church for many years, and had been going to church every Sunday until his hearing grew dull, then he spent his Sundays reading his Bible and repeating over the old familiar hymns. His favorite ones were sung at his funeral.

Mr. Wright has always been a very strong and healthy man until late in the fall of 1916 his strength seemed to fail and he gradually grew feeble.

But he was ready and waiting for the Master's call to the better world.

Mr. Wright was a Conservative, and born youth a member of the Orange Order for over forty-two.

The deceased is survived by one daughter and two sons: Mrs. W. H. Hall, Mariposa; Wm. Orr, Victoria John, and James Albert, of Pontiac, Mariposa. The latter son resides on the homestead.

Mrs. Wright, who was a kind and loving mother passed away very early in the spring of 1916. The family of daughters and one son have also passed away to the great beyond. Mr. Wright's brother, Alexander Wright, and he was privileged to have his photo taken with the fourth, also the fifth generation. His funeral on March the 4th was largely attended, the bearers being six of his grandsons.

Jesus, the very thought of Thee
With sweetness fills my breast,
But sweeter far Thy face to see,
And in Thy presence rest.

In loving memory of a kind father.

DEATHS

ROWLINSON—At rest, on Wednesday, March 21st, at her late residence, 58 Gardens avenue, Leah, eldest daughter of Mrs. Christina and the late Joseph Mitchell, beloved wife of Wm. T. Rowlinson.

McEACHERN—At Keent, Ont., on Monday, March 5, 1917, Ronald McEachern, in his 66th year.

Interment took place on Tuesday, March 6th, in Eldon cemetery. Victoria county.

BIRTHS

McELROY — At Edmonton, Alta., March 16th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. McElroy, a son, George Alexander. (Allister).

IN MEMORIAM

HART—In memory of John Emory Hart, who departed this life March 17th, 1912.

You are not forgotten, Emory dear,
Nor ever shall you be,
As long as life and memory last
We shall remember thee.

UNCLE AND AUNT.

IN MEMORIAM

(In memory of the late Miss Potts, by her friend, Mrs. R. Suggitt.)

A loving sister has left our home,
She unexpected fled—
Is sleeping in the graveyard now,
Among the silent dead.

Once again the circle's broken,
Another link has fallen;
The golden chain of love is broken,
The loved link has passed away.

Her sisters are so sad and lonely;
Oh, how oft the tear drops start.
Fainly they wish for home happy but 'twas hard, so hard, to part.

We know her sisters will rest sad
When they think of the dear one gone,
But yet we know that they will say
Oh Lord, Thy will be done.

Far beyond this world of trouble,
In a city bright and fair,
On the sweet shores of Eden
Our loved one's home is there.

Dear sisters, friends and neighbors,
Let us be faithful unto death,
That when we are called to worlds on high
We will meet the loved one there.

Father look upon your children,
Smile upon us, bid us cheer,
Take us all at last to heaven,
There to dwell with Fanny dear.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. James Greenan and family desire to thank their friends for the many expressions of sympathy as well as kindnesses extended them during their recent bereavement, the death of a loving husband and father.

MOTHER OBJECTED TO CASTIGATION

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

County Magistrate F. D. Moore was in Kinmount yesterday in connection with an interesting school case which was brought back against one of the public school teachers of the village for alleged cruelty to one of the boy pupils of the scholars. The action was laid by the mother of the pupil.

Several witnesses were heard and considerable evidence taken in the case, but Magistrate Moore reserved his judgment until later in the week, when the legal representatives of both parties will argue the case.

J. E. Anderson, of Lindsay, was counsel for the plaintiff, and Mr. Jesse Bradford appeared for the defendant.

GREAT WAR PICTURE COMING TO LINDSAY

At least a dozen films pretending to show the truth about the war have been brought out since the beginning of the conflict in Europe, but none of them have begun to show with any of the facilities accorded to the Allied Governments, the daring war photographer of Castell's Movie "Big," who was commissioned by the British Government to produce the official film of the French offensive before Verdun, when the Crown Prince's army was hurled back from the city, it had struggled so long to win. Capt. Thompson spent nine months in the front line trenches and the result was thirty reels of motion pictures, showing every phase of the great struggle. It is from these thirty reels to seven, in which there was action every moment, and the final result he selected the scenes for this. This remarkable film was brought to Canada for its first showing under the auspices of the Red Cross, and will be exhibited at the Academy on April 2 and 3

The picture begins with views of the ramparts of Verdun, which are eighty feet thick and have resisted even the heavy shells of the enemy. Verdun has been under fire for months and on account of shell explosions in the streets for months the entire population of the city has been driven to cellars. Then follow views of the fleeing refugees in a church, who are killed by a shell that pierces the basement, and the terrible shambles resulting from the long continued bombardment of the city.

Another interesting scene is the review of the 60,000 Russian soldiers, sent by Russia to France and equipped by the French, who helped to defend Verdun. Most impressive is another review showing over 30,000 men just entering the first line area, those being the only troops reviews in the entire picture, the rest of which is exclusively devoted to actual fighting, a big part of it being filmed by intrepid Capt. Thompson, who never seems to consider personal risk.

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We still have hundreds of bargains to offer to our patrons during this last nine days sale. Our opening sale was a great success as our store was crowded daily with anxious buyers from all over the vicinity. We have been selling our goods at very low prices during past few days, but in order to gain new customers we are going to do more slashing. Remember, nothing will be sold at the same prices after this sale. We also wish to announce that we just received 200 sample dresses, consisting of pure linens, voiles, rattenelle, piques, poplins, mediums and other fancy spring and summer materials. Made in the latest creations of the season. Sizes 32 to 42. Values from $5 to $10. Special during last 9 Days' Sale, $1.98, $2.98.

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LIMITED KNOWLEDGE

(Special to The Post.)

During the past month the Salem Patriotic League sent the following Red Cross supplies to headquarters; 38 pairs socks, 50 Turkish towels, 50 pillow covers, 9 lb. W. B. cotton, 2 pyjama suits. Mrs. A. J. Power, President. E. L. Lake, Sec.-Treas.

The Post's Want Advts. pay.—Try one.

Bill—"Do you know you borrowed five dollars from me six months ago?"

Gill—"Yes, I know that."

"And do you know you have never paid me?"

"Why, yes, I know that!"

"Do you know when you are going to pay me?"

"Well, say, you don't expect me to know everything, do you?"—Yonkers Statesman.

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CANADIAN FORCES ON WEST EAGER TO MEET GERMANS IN OPEN

Canadian Headquarters in France, via London, March 14. — This is a period of "waterfall waiting," mired in the mud, for the Canadians at the front. A visit to the trenches shows that the men we have to finish the job of teaching Fritz manners, but the immediate task is to wrestle with the spring break-up, which this year more than usual has made northern France a difficult country for the movement of armies. The Canadians are tired of trench warfare and they express the hope that it is true that the Germans are equally so and are preparing for what Hindenburg wants —a trial of strength in the open field.

Our men are filled with admiration of the troops in the Bapaume area, who go forward in a region that is a perfect quagmire, making headway as guns over new ground by almost incredible exertions.

YOUTHFUL OFFICERS

Comparative youths are found among the officers and men actually holding the Canadian front. There was one revelation of this on a visit to a major who is not yet 23 and who was recently gazetted, but still wears the badge indicating his rank as that of a lieutenant. He has been plugging away steadily for eight months without leave. "Our people," he says, "are in fine condition, health and spirits than the enemy, who are receiving depressing letters from home. The food shortage in Germany has an undoubted effect on the morale of the enemy, even though he him self is still well fed."

The death of ex-Controller F. S. Spence, Toronto, has been cabled and published in the soldiers' paper. Mr. Spence's death is generally regretted, as he had many friends at the front.

Stewart Lyon.

GERMAN RAID REPULSED

London, March 14.—The following communique has been issued by the Canadian war records office:

"Last night was fairly unusually quiet. One attempt to raid our trenches was made by the enemy in the semi-darkness of the early morning two of our sentries perceived a party of about 20 Germans stealthily approaching. Waiting till the enemy were within 20 yards, they opened fire and threw six bombs. The leader of the Germans pressed forward, flinging his revolvers, but was shot down by a bomb. Some of the party effected a few cylindrical stick-bombs, which did no harm, retreated, dragging with him the bodies of several of their number who had been hit.

RULE NO MAN'S LAND

"There have been a few encounters between patrols but generally speaking "No Man's Land" has belonged definitely to our men.

"Severe weather conditions continue, and there were light falls of snow.

A visit was paid to the corps by Sir Robert Borden, accompanied by the Hon. Robert Rogers and Hon. J. A. Calder. He spent a busy day visiting a number of the brigades and his coming and departure also saw some of them carrying out their ceremonial duties. It also had an opportunity of seeing a portion of the Canadian hailstorm.

COL. ANDERSON WAS WOUNDED

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Mrs. (Col.) R. H. Anderson, Fort street, received message from Ottawa this morning to the effect that her husband, Col. Anderson, had been wounded in the throat during a recent engagement in France.

Col. Anderson, it will be remembered, went overseas on the 109th Battalion staff, but after that organization was broken up he was attached to another unit. His many friends hope that the wound received is not of a serious nature.

LEGISLATIVE SNAP SHOTS

(From Saturday's Daily.)

C. M. BOWMAN, M. P. P. for West Bruce.

The chaperon of the Opposition.

The father-confessor.

The pleasant-faced man.

To whom you go when you are troubled.

He's Chief Whip,

He's the scorpions

Lack credit,

Has been in the House

For forty dreadfuls.

Twenty years ago

His beard was black;

Today—he has none!

PAY STOPPED FOR MISCONDUCT

(From Thursday's Daily.)

An Order-in-Council has been passed authorizing the stopping of pay up to ninety days from the total amount received of men enlisted for overseas for misconduct. This pay will be held in trust until the soldier receives his discharge or until the G. O. C. sees fit to allow the soldier to have it. This order will not only provide an effectual means of punishment but will prevent men from spending their money foolishly. It is in keeping with the First and Second Divisions in France, and was so successful that it was applied by the Canadian troops in England now the method has been authorized in Canada. The order applies to Militia units called out for service as well as C. E. F.

GROOM IS COMING INTO HIS OWN

(From Thursday's Daily.)

We have all wondered why the bridegets all the "write up" in a wedding report, while the groom receives a mere mouthful. So the Belle Ewart Beacon paper at least is making a change and the long neglected groom is coming into his own. The Ohio State Journal publishes the following:

"The bride was dressed in a conventional wedding gown, but the groom wore a flowing black coat with an elaborate white vest decorated with real pearls. His shoes were of black with real lace shoe strings. Imported gray broadcloth trousers of the latest cut and make, white gloves and a white cravat of fine Indian linen, together with collar, gilt-edged garters, a chief of similar material, completed his perfect costume. For a travelling suit, the groom wore a tailored suit of worsted serge with handsome tan shoes and imported felt hat."

ARM MANGLED IN LINE SHAFT

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Uxbridge Times: A horrible accident happened on Saturday afternoon last, on the farm of John Taylor, about four miles north of Uxbridge, on the 7th con., when his second son, Hector, became entangled with the belt on the gasoline engine, resulting in the final amputation of his right arm.

Two brothers were running the engine when the belt came off, and the unfortunate lad got up to the shafting and attempted to put it on with the engine running, and in some manner got caught in the shafting. Before the engine could be stopped his arm was torn from the body from the elbow down four inches.

Two doctors were summoned, and on examination it was found necessary to amputate the arm above the elbow, and although the lad has suffered considerable pain and sickness he is getting along as well as could be expected.

It was little short of a miracle that the boy escaped with his life, as he was by the slipping of the belt that he was not battered to pieces.

TWEED'S LOSS LINDSAY'S GAIN

(From Friday's Daily.)

Tweed Advocate: Tweed lost an all-round good citizen this week, one of that group whose citizenship was a pleasure and whose vacant place in the community makes many feel that in the removal from town of Mr. W. A. McMaster, who has purchased a grocery business in Lindsay, and with his family left for that town on Tuesday. Since entering the mercantile life here Mr. McMaster has made many friends by whom his departure is much regretted. He was a thorough business man and enjoyed a prosperous trade, but an opportunity to improve presented itself and he took advantage of it. Of his removal it can be said that "what is Tweed's loss is Lindsay's gain," and our esteemed townsman takes with him the best wishes of a host of friends for abundant success in his adopted home.

OSHAWA MAN DIES OF ANTHRAX

(From Friday's Daily.)

Last Thursday about noon a very sorrowful home was caused to the Reformer office, going south, conveying Dr. McKay in that direction. A few moments later a brown topped auto flew north occupied by Dr. Rundle. Dr. McKay halted at Disney's undertaking office and proceeded to extract some blood from the jugular vein of the late John Boddy, who had died that morning in the hospital. Dr. Rundle having attended the man during his illness, regarded the act of Dr. McKay as such an infringement upon his supposed domain, that he flew at 40 miles an hour to the town hall, picked up the constable, and flew back to Disney's at 60 miles an hour with Chief Moffat as a passenger, for the purpose of ejecting Dr. McKay from the building. The situation gave rise to many conjectures and to many complications, all of which were accentuated by the fact that it was decreed that the late John Body had died of Anthrax, a communicable disease.

ORANGEVILLE'S BIG MONTHLY HORSE FAIR

(From Friday's Daily.)

Orangeville's monthly horse fair is believed to be the greatest institution of the kind in this section of the way; the main thoroughfare of the town, is the market place, and on Fair Day time is so thronged that it is almost impassable for either rigs or pedestrians. Indeed, reading or interpreting the signs before a fair day market centre is reached. Horse buyers are early risers and on the day of the fair they are waiting up when they consider advantageous positions on all the main roads leading to town; some group as far as two miles to intercept the coming vendors, who, however, generally prefer to go on to town and let the other buyers have their stock. Horses are brought to the fair from points thirty or forty miles distant, fifty to sixty dealers attend, and over a thousand horses change hands annually, or an aggregate value for the year of $100,000.

When a horse has passed "inspection" by the buyer a small deposit of from one to five dollars is paid down over as "an earnest to bind the bargain," and the horse taken off to the stable. Generally the full price is paid as soon as may be convenient. Later, between 5 and 6 in the evening, the horses are driven to the depot and loaded on the waiting cars and shipped, generally to Toronto, the great clearing station, in the first instance.

Orangeville horse fair has an interesting history, and is known throughout this part of the Province. Latterly a number of Italian and Hebrew buyers have come on the scene, and these have provided a market for the cheaper grades of horses demanded by truckers and peddlers.

FENELON FALLS AS COUNTY TOWN

(From Friday's Daily.)

Minden Echo: With the idea that the financial burdens will be decreased, some of Lindsay's leading citizens are actively agitating for separation from the County of Victoria. We suggest that now would be an opportune time for Fenelon Falls to make application to become the county town; that the county buildings in Lindsay be moved to Fenelon, up-to-date structures erected, taking the present requirements as a guide for future needs. Surely no one would expect the county to maintain its most prominent institutions in some foreign place.

Opportunity fools a man about as often as he takes it.

ENLISTMENT OF VOLUNTEER FORCE FOR DEFENCE OF DOMINION

Ottawa, March 16. — Sir Edward Kemp, minister of militia, announced last night that fifty thousand men were required for home defence in case of emergency. It will be a volunteer force. The men will be organized and enlisted in connection with the present military regiments. They will be clothed and equipped similarly to the overseas troops, but the latter will wear a distinguishing badge on the left sleeve. Until they are well train in the evenings, and they they will go to camp along with the overseas units. Pay will be slightly less than for active service.

Sir Edward stated that in the event of hostilities between the United States and Germany, there might be trouble along the border, and these home defence troops would be required. The service would be for one year, but if the war lasted longer, it was over, and for six months afterward if necessary. With regard to the question of national service in connection with necessary industries, the minister said that tribunals would be appointed to decide whether a man who wanted to enlist in the new force could be spared from his civilian duties. Sir Edward gave out the following statement:

MORE HASTEN OVERSEAS

"Or the troops which have volunteered for service overseas there still remain in Canada approximately 50,000. It is necessary that these should be sent to the front without an adequate force for home defence in case of emergency. The prime minister, who has recently visited the front, states that we are entering upon the most critical period of the war."

POPULAR GOVT. FOR RUSSIA MONARCHY COMES TO AN END

Petrograd, March 16, via London, March 17.—Emperor Nicholas has decided at midnight last night on behalf of himself and the heir apparent, Grand Duke Alexis, in favor of Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch.

At 2.30 o'clock this afternoon Grand Duke Michael himself abdicated, thus bringing the Romanoff dynasty to an end.

The government, pending a meeting of the constitutional assembly, is vested in the executive committee of the Duma and the newly chosen council of ministers. A manifesto to this effect was issued by the duma committee today and will be telegraphed to the general army headquarters this evening.

PROMPT ORGANIZATION.

London, March 16.—The new provisional government of Russia, according to the latest despatches received here, is proceeding promptly on its organize itself on a stable and strongly democratic basis, to reconstitute the government departments and to prepare steps for the vigorous carrying on of the war. There is no sign of any serious hindrance to the reconstruction of the work of this extraordinarily swift and bloodless revolution. A large number of the principal cities of the empire already have notified the executive committee of the provisional assembly of the new regime, and there is no record thus far of any part of the country withholding consent.

The latest news from Petrograd and despatches to the British Government indicate that the revolution has made the man emperor unknown. The latest report is that he is on the way to Tsarskoe Selo palace.

Prof. Paul N. Milukoff, the foreign minister of the new government, and one of Russia's strongest men, who has surrounded himself with an able cabinet, is said to favor a limited monarchy. The constitutional assembly will be the best government for modern Russia.

ITS EFFECT IN GERMANY.

Considerable discussion is indulged in by the press and public here as to the effect the revolution is likely to have in Germany. Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg's speech in the Prussian diet on the need to democratize Prussian institutions after the war, which was made before the news was delivered with the knowledge of what was happening in Russia and with the consciousness of the advisability of taking stock of the possible development in the country as the result of the overthrow in Russia.

ORDER GROWING RAPIDLY.

Russia today appeared to be in a fair way toward solving the greatest problem with which, perhaps, any nation was ever confronted. Order is growing with incredible rapidity out of the chaos of the past week, and the new government, gathering up the broken threads of the machinery of political life, is striving to set the organization of the country in motion so that the conduct of the war will proceed as little as possible from the revolution. The leaders of the new military already have assumed the reins of the government buildings, camps and deserted for four days, are again open for official business. The banks, all the commercial and financial houses, and most of the factories have already responded to the new government's appeal, opened their doors and are preparing to resume business. Acting in their power to effect as quick a recovery as possible from the paralysis

PRESENTTION TO JOHN WALKER

Mr. John Walker, who for the past eight or nine years has been a zealous and earnest member of the Queen-st. Methodist church, as well as a popular citizen of the town, is leaving on Monday for Galt, where he will reside in future.

At a meeting of the congregation of Queen-st. Church last night he was a recipient of the following address, read by Rev. Mr. McMullen and accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. McKechney on behalf of the congregation:—

Lindsay, March 15, 1917.

Dear Mr. Walker,—We, your fellow church members, have learned with much regret, of your early departure from our midst, we, your fellow workers in the Sabbath School of Queen-st. Methodist church, would take this opportunity to express to you the very high esteem in which you are held by us.

During the many years made enjoyable by your presence and fellowship we have learned to esteem and love you for your affectionate brotherly sharing all our experiences as a church leader, giving wise counsel as a Sunday School Superintendent in the days of responsibilities, but more than all, we have esteemed your steady consistent, Christian life and character as manifested in your regular attendance upon all the means of grace, your earnest participation in the work of the happiness of others, and the generous support of the church of your choice.

We commend you, dear brother, to carry with you not only our highest esteem and affection, but our good wishes and prayers for the future welfare and prosperity of you and your dear family.

As a slight token of the esteem in which you are held by us, we ask you to accept this bible with the wish that it may minister to your future comfort and consolation.

"We part in body, not in mind,
And though we leave you,
We'll each to each be ever joined.
We bend in unison."

J. S. MCMULLEN,
Chairman of Board.

Mr. Walker made a suitable reply, referring in his associations and labors in the congregation and assuring the members that he would always cherish pleasant recollections of happy years spent as a worker.

A short musical and literary programme followed, after which luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker will be much missed in the congregation. The former was also one of the official Board and Trustee Boards, while the latter was always prominent in church activities. A son of Mr. Walker (George) is also a member of the Official Board.

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WEAKENING GOOD LEGISLATION.

Mr. Goodcham, M.P.P., has a bill before the Provincial Legislature in connection with certain changes in the Motor Vehicles, which, if adopted, would seriously weaken the effectiveness of the measures. Among other things he wants to abolish the large headlights, increase the speed limit in towns and cities to twenty miles, and reduce the age of drivers from fifteen to sixteen years. The Post agrees with the Collingwood Bulletin in its contention that the abolition of the head lights is quite radical and would give rise to much inconvenience as motorists, especially commercial men, do much driving at night in order to make time. Without the lights this could not be done with the same comfort at present enjoyed. Were regulations regarding dimming lights when meeting and passing other motors and vehicles enacted, much of the difficulty might be overcome. As for the proposed increase in the speed limit, this would be a mistake. The present rate of from miles an hour in towns and cities makes autos sufficiently dangerous to others on the roads and to pedestrians. To reduce the age limit would also be a mistake, as fifteen years in many instances being even too low. Instead of the proposed reduction, further legislation that would insure a more rigid enforcement of the present law would be more acceptable and more in the interests of the public and of motorists generally.

A FREE RUSSIA.

The revolution in Russia did not come as a surprise to those who have been following the kaleidoscopic trend of events in connection with the war. That the revolutions was carried to a successful issue without much bloodshed and disorder is a tribute to the good judgment and sanity of the Muscovite. The nation has thrown off the yoke of bureaucratic rule—the shackles of autocracy have been severed and a free Russia is the result.

The people have determined to rid the country of German agents whose machinations and intrigues in the Russian court hindered the country with disaster. Then the incompetency displayed in the prosecution of the war was another great factor contributing to the upheaval. Russia has released herself from political and social bondage, and the transition will have a world wide effect. It is a body blow to German aspirations and surprises need not be manifested if the Kaiser's subjects should make an effort to free themselves from the Hohenzollern hordes. In fact, a campaign against the dynasty is being waged in Germany which promises to be severe. The Zurich correspondent of the Rome Tribuna states that Heinrich Sieger's remarkable pamphlet advocating the dethronement of the Hohenzollerns in favor of a Wittelsbach dynasty as the only means of saving Europe is now being circulated among Germans-speaking people by all sorts of clever devices to avoid confiscation. Many of the copies bear forms officers seized a consignment of these booklets, which had evidently been posted in Switzerland and shipped to a dairy farmer near Basel. The farmer subsequently admitted having taken a contract to receive and unpack the booklets, and after doing them up in sausages, packages to throw them in the Rhine, where they would float into German territory.

IRELAND'S FESTAL DAY.

In all parts of the globe to-day Irishsons and daughters unite in celebrating the anniversary of their patron saint, and grateful hearts unite in a prayer of thanksgiving that the illustrious bishop brought to the Isle that's the world with shamrock "the gift of God's faith" which has always been a source of inspiration and hope for them in their darkest hours.

In the midst of the joy and thanks-giving which characterizes the observance of this day, there is mingled a feeling of deep disappointment that the final step in the process of the majority of Ireland's sons—the boon of self-government—has been further delayed, that the cup of freedom for which they thirst is again dashed from her lips when it looked as if she was about to enjoy the long cherished gift for which she fought for right to frame her own laws.

The recent spectacle in the British House of Commons when the question of right to self-government was conceded and at the same time rejected, will not tend towards the realization of the different forces in Great Britain at a time when unity of action is essential. The Premier, in the opinion of Ireland and many of his supporters in the House, could not be done with the same degree of comfort at present enjoyed. Were regulations regarding dimming lights when meeting and passing other motors and vehicles enacted, much of the difficulty might be overcome. As for the proposed increase in the speed limit, this would be a mistake. The present rate of from miles an hour in towns and cities makes autos sufficiently dangerous to others on the roads and to pedestrians. To reduce the age limit would also be a mistake, as fifteen years in many instances being even too low. Instead of the proposed reduction, further legislation that would insure a more rigid enforcement of the present law would be more acceptable and more in the interests of the public and of motorists generally.

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PRICE OF EGGS TAKING A DROP

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Flour has been advanced an additional 5c per barrel during the week, which now makes the base price again reach $10 or over. The advance was occasioned through the continued firmness in the wheat market. Eggs are decidedly on a downward trend, declines of approximately eight cents per dozen having been recorded. With the coming of milder weather it is anticipated there will be a heavier production of eggs in Canada and a consequent further reduction in price. In the Chicago district new-laid eggs are already selling at 25 cents per dozen, these being a firm market with advances recorded in some districts. Cheese is also higher. There has been a generally higher tendency in cooked meats of all kinds. Pure lard and compound lard have been advanced and live hogs are quoted at still higher levels. Dressed hogs are quoted at new high levels.

The sugar situation continues to be one of considerable firmness. There have been no advances with Canadian refiners, but the latter are reserving sales to prompt delivery orders. They will not book orders for future delivery at present prices. Raisins have been a fairly heavy buying movement in sugar during the present week. Tea continues an object of much interest with importers and wholesalers. A cablegram received from London is to the effect that the British Government intends to allow only such tea shipped to Canada as has already been entered for shipment prior to the placing of the embargo. From advices received the primary markets at Colombo in Ceylon and Calcutta in India will be the centre of activity. Coffee and cocoa beans are proceeding for shipments of the harvest from those ports to Canada. Supplies of canned potatoes reached Eastern centres during the week. The first shipment of Porto Rican syrup arrived at the week-end. Canadian distributors within a few days. Business generally has been satisfactory during the week.—Canadian Grocer.

AMENDMENT TO COMPENSATION ACT

Toronto, March 12. — Important proposed amendments to the Workmen's Compensation Act were explained by Hon. T. H. Lennox in the Legislature yesterday afternoon.

The most important of these is the providing of first aid. It was provided, he announced, to provide for all medical, surgical and supplies attendances within 30 days after an accident, without any limitation, these to be paid out of the Accident Fund.

MINOR CHANGES, TOO

There were also proposed several minor changes, which, he said, called considerably to the charges and to the benefits. Executive officers of a company were included in the same position as the employees. This change was made to meet the request of employers. Another change is to provide that a workman employed in a temporary capacity in another province while engaged by a firm with headquarters in Ontario shall not be deprived of the benefits of the act.

ALLOWANCE TO INCREASE

In the case of both a workman and his widow dying, the allowance to the surviving children will be increased from $15 to $20 a month. Where a child is an invalid the contribution from the fund will not be discontinued at 16 years of age, but will continue.

DECISIONS ON MERITS

The decisions of the board in all cases, Mr. Lucas said, would be based on its merits, and justice without following strict legal proceedings.

The amount which the Government will pay to the expenses of the board will hereafter be $100,000 a year, instead of $25,000, as at present. This would be apart from the salaries of the members of the board and free quarters.

FENELON SOLDIER DIES OF WOUNDS

(From Monday's Daily.)

In the list of casualties published to-day appears the name of A. Donaldson, of Fenelon Falls, who died of wounds. Report has it that he was frightfully wounded, having lost both hands.

STOP SALE OF HOFFMAN'S DROPS

(From Friday's Daily.)

Toronto Telegram.—In an effort to put a stop to the wholesale way in which Hoffman's drops, better known as "knockout drops," are being sold by druggists in the Province of Ontario, the Dominion Government Board is going to have a meeting with the druggists' associations of the province.

The board is of opinion that they cannot stop the sale of the "drops," as the preparation is in the British pharmacopoeia, but they think that something should be done to stop the indiscriminate sale of this drug since September 16th last when the Board went dry.

They claimed that these are the drops that many men buy from drug clerks and then add a small quantity of whiskey and a pipe and send "to put the "kick" in it, and many drug clerks are said to have sold the stuff by the bottle and at a time.

The license inspectors in one district in Ontario have seized eight bottles, but this is the same authorities. This stuff contains a considerable amount of alcohol, besides other ingredients, and it doesn't take much to put a man to the mat.

RABBITS DESTROYING LOCAL ORCHARDS

(From Friday's Daily.)

Last week, says the London Christian, we published a paragraph under this heading, with reference to the report that Mr. George W. Fitzwilliam writes from Milton, Peterborough:

"We have been killing rabbits all the winter, and those that are not left in the hospital or given away are sold in the town. Some months ago I told the mayor that I would be willing to employ some invalided soldiers belonging to the Peterborough Y. to help the keepers kill the rabbits, but so far no one has responded."

Rabbits have been overrunning Lindsay orchards of late, and have done considerable damage to fruit trees and berry bushes. One resident informed the Post that he had five young fruit trees destroyed by his pests lately, stripping them of their bark. They visit the orchards at night and do considerable damage in a short time.

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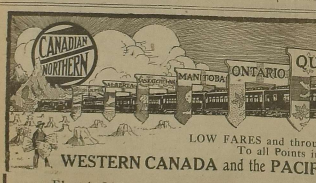

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FENELON SOLDIER GETS KING'S MEDAL

Fenelon Falls Gazette: Miss Ethel Merriam has received the following letter from Pte. J. Hill, No. 69404, 21st Canadians:

Dear Friend,—It is a long time since I wrote to you, I believe it is the last summer, I hope you received it o.k. and receive this also. The German front pretty hard to put me out of business last fall, but I am still in the land of the living. I was hit with a piece of big shell while on the Somme Sept. 15th and have only been discharged from hospital recently. Jack Gordon was fatally wounded the morning before, dying before he reached the hospital, "Dongh" Bald, too, who used to board at Mrs. Nogents' has been out there a year and a half, being wounded last spring, but is again in the line.

Howard Rowe has been out in France nearly five months, and got out the same week I was wounded. Alex. Northey was here for a time, but I believe he goes back to Canada to-day. I never hear any news from Fenelon since poor Jack cashed in. I suppose I am soon out to Canada, and you bet I'll hike up to Fenelon and look the ground over. I was shot through the right side with a piece of shrapnel, but am better than ever now. By the way I forgot to tell you I was awarded the "King's medal, the medal last September and am now more or less struck on myself mostly less, the medal was given for "conspicuous bravery on the field," and brought ten pounds ($50) with it, so you see I had some money for a couple of days. I saw Joe Sabatino in France before I was wounded and think he is still all right. I guess I must close now, Ed.

WILLING

You said you'd go through fire and water for me."

"Show me a combination of the two and I will."—Dallas News.

KIRKFIELD

(Special to The Post.)

Mrs. Hector Mclaren, who has been visiting her daughter in Toronto for the past two months, returned home on Tuesday night.

H. D. McInnis spent last Tuesday in Lindsay.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McKinnon spent a few days in Toronto last week.

Mrs. Arnold, of Lindsay, is down Monday, at Mrs. Fraser's.

Mrs. M. Lindsay, S. Tremain, and N. D. McInnis attended Presbytery in Lindsay on Monday.

Miss Kathleen McKinnon spent the week end in Lindsay.

Mrs. W. J. Mitchell in Toronto last week.

Mr. C. J. Mitchell spent a few days in Toronto last week.

Miss Nora Edwards, of Lindsay, at Mr. C. J. Mitchell's over the week end.

On Sunday evening last Lieut. Harry Morrison, of 32nd Batt., Lindsay, delivered a very interesting address at the Presbyterian church, Consersation to Canada and Christian Citizenship, which was very interesting and helpful. Lieut. Morrison also sang at both services, which was much appreciated.

Lieut. Knox, and Miss I. Knox, of Toronto, spent the week end at Mrs. C. J. Mitchell's.

D. G. Bruce in Toronto a few days last week.

W. McCrae of Norland, spent the week end at his home here.

On Tuesday evening a number of ladies assembled at the home of Mrs. H. McInnis, sr., where a social meeting of the W.M.S. and Ladies' Aid was held. Refreshments were served afterwards and a very pleasant evening spent.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. A. Herron, a daughter on March 13th, 1917.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Sproat Jr., a daughter, on March 13th, 1917.

On Sunday Mr. Wm. Newman, of Woodville, addressed the congregations of the Presbyterian church at Bolsover and Kirkfield on the Y.M.C.A. work at the front. The result was that a committee was formed to canvas the town and country for subscriptions to the Y.M.C.A. work.

Mr. Newman delivered an excellent address.

Pte. Angus Smith, of 182nd Batt., Oshawa, spent Sunday at his home here.

FIVE BAGS OF ONIONS FOR $35

(From Monday's Daily.)

Peterborough Examiner.—Onions at from $7 to $8 a bag is just one of the many items to which the consumer is becoming accustomed. Mr. Fred Stinson stated that the onion crop was so small that supplies are practically exhausted, and the price is accordingly high. Five bags brought $35 this morning. At this rate onions will be relegated to the place of potatoes, which for weeks past many householders have refused to buy. Potatoes are now selling in the country at the present time, and with that allowance consumers are generally satisfied in view of the prevailing prices.

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Plummer ducked wildly as a second bullet whipped its way by his ear and announced his presence by a mighty shout, jerking his horse savagely back upon its haunches.

Sherrod, before he advanced toward the newcomer, turned for an instant to Harper.

"Plummer you said it was; didn't you?" he asked softly.

"I'm sure it," grunted Sunny. "An' it makes me seasock thinkin' which chances I've took watchin' you shoot!"

Then Sherrod went to meet Plummer. Not, however, until Sunny Harper had seen his cwelld, the left eye, flatten downward behind the cheek as in an unquestionable wink!

"Do you suppose—" he astounded Sunny Harper enough to cause him to self, "that he—he winked!—it, I sees it! He shot a hole in Plummer's hat and he says to me, "Plummer, shoot he!" An'—he winked!"

Slowly he lifted the bottle. Not to his lips but up so that he could see it might stare at it. Slowly he put it down beside him, shaking his head.

"I don't give a——" if I am drunk," he affirmed. "Sherrod popped a hole in Plummer's hat and then—he winked!"

Again Plummer was coming on swiftly. He had reined his horse about, leaning down and away from the saddle, had swept up his hat from the ground with an angry jerk, and now, his face in a red glow, rode recklessly about the bunk-house, cursing up Sherrod.

"What do you mean by this?" he snapped viciously.

"I say I winked Sherrod, and the men who heard must pass as to whether the laugh was one of amusement or of nervousness," he cried gayly now getting you that shot, didn't I?"

"You sure did," growled Plummer, scowling darkly at his hat. "If you're lookin' for trouble——"

"Mercy!" cried Sherrod, shoving his gun back into his holster. "Trouble, see? My target three—I was practising up. You came so unexpectedly——"

"You're Sherrod, I take it?" grunted Plummer.

"Yes. You wanted to see me?"

He wiped his forehead, polished his glasses and turned his eyes speculatively upon the new Diamond man. What they saw was a very heavy-set man upon a very beautiful horse.

The saddle-animal was a black young, spirited, groomed like a race-horse, legged like a greyhound. Sherrod's eyes swept from Plummer's head to the horse admiringly and went curiously to Plummer. Here was a man larger than Hard Ross, thicker in neck, of arm, of thigh, of body. The hand that now was fumbling nervously with the tan of sun and air. The eyes were small and black, given unusual brilliancy by the pale tan of the face which a moment ago had reddened its face; the mouth large, with heavy, slightly pouting underlip.

Plummer's eyes, in the mean time, had found off Sunny Harper where he'd got cornered like a mouse in a trap and had again come to rest upon Sherrod. Here they glinted, their gaze keen, intent, measuring.

"You see," said Sherrod pleasantly, "in shooting at anything one first of all tries the mates perfect. I've come here to stay, and a man living in this country of the world ought to be a good shot, oughtn't he?"

Plummer nodded briefly. Again, before answering he looked at Sherrod, the time for a keen scrutiny which missed nothing of the man's every detail, from the shape which had remained so amazingly white on the tanned face of spade to the scar which ran in a scarred circle made by much flying lead, tucked to the tree. When he spoke it was in a voice unnecessarily low as perhaps a cattleman could not have helped speaking, though he strove to make it casual, and his whole air quite casual.

"So Plummer, from Bar Diamond," he explained. "Seed' as we're neighbors I thought I'd drop over an' say Howdy."

"I'm glad you've come," cried Sherrod heartily. "Get down, Mr. Plummer. You're just the man I'm after."

"Oh, yes," returned Plummer easily, slipping out of the saddle and tossing his horse's reins to the ground. "I'm Sun."

Sunny's answer was a grunt which might have meant nothing or a very great deal. Plummer looked at him swiftly, shrugged his broad, powerful shoulders and once more gave his attention to Sherrod.

"Like I said," repeated Plummer, looking straight and deep into Sherrod's unwavering eyes, "seed' we're neighbors we ought to know each other."

"That's right," agreed Sherrod quickly. "I'm glad you came over."

"An' besides," went on Plummer, in his slow, heavy drawl, "I wanted to talk business with you."

Sherrod's white fingers dropped out of gold and silver added its account of what was happening. It grew late and the game went on—Wingo had constant rammed, stretched his short arms as far as was physically possible and still not touch both ends of the table. One by one the others followed him.

Still the game went on and Hard Ross alone sat on the doorstep, a cigaret dead between his lips, his eyes narrowing and hunt steadily upon the shadow shapes.

The stars floated out into a dark heaven and disappeared again, and the dead died down, the moon at the full passed a moment over the steep cliffs behind the Three Circle ranch house. Upper End then moved its golden way through the golden stars, and still the game went on and Hard Ross sat there and waited. He didn't see the stars and he hadn't noticed the moon. His thoughts were full of Sherrod, Plummer and Sherrod, of Hawley and a man named Silver Slippers.

"Paul Plummer comes jus' where Silver Slippers is right now," muttered Hard Ross heavily. "He knows jus' where he is—he knows where he's at! I'll find it in his side has gone the last year. He knows I know it. An' he knows I know he knows I know it. Right under my nose! He'd ought to know it ain't real safe to monkey around me. He's got a hell of a nerve on the job an' while the rest of the boys is feelin' strong enough to walk the scattered pack. What did he come for? Huh?"

The play was made: what did it mean as good as Sherrod's? Ross rose to his rangy and he had said that it was just to get acquainted with his new neighbor. That made Hard Ross want to laugh. Plummer wasn't in the habit of riding ten miles or hard trail to pay a social call.

Ross made one cigaret after another and, still sitting in the deep shadow of the man he distrusted. The hours slipped by, the click of chip on chip and of cards came to him, and on the edge of midnight when the big shadow straightened up and Sherrod and Sunny were the shadows that rose, whose business had gone the old way through the neck of a whisky bottle and a deck of cards. The rides to and between them now, Bull Plummer, still on the horse which Plummer had left it, and Sherrod, during the hours of play without grain or water. He saw Bull Plummer's head droop forward, turning his head this way and that like a man suspicious of danger. He saw Sherrod swing to the ground at once he laid his hand on his companion's arm, and gazed what he had guessed before, that Sherrod had drunk the most of the whisky.

He heard a brief conversation and Sherrod's answer as to the time of day, sardonically given that "Silver."

The click of chip on chip ships registered. Before long the musical clinks of gold and silver added its account

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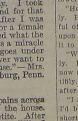

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moonlit night.

Sherrod, still swaying a little, raised from Plummer and walked unsteadily toward the bunk-house. Hard Ross spring to his feet, went with long strides to the new-owner's side.

"He winked you nice and plenty," chuckled Sunny Harper, foreman. "Huh!"

Sherrod's amiable smile showed weak in the wan light.

"Come on inside the tent, Ross, that's a good fellow," came the answer as unsteady as the man's walk. "Want to tell you about it."

Ross followed as Sherrod led a devious way. Within the tent Sherrod threw himself upon the bed, murmuring:

"It's a fine fellow, Plummer. Great fellow."

"That's all right," cut in Ross sharply. "You can't tell me much about him I don't know already. His record's as clean as the table littered with cards and calico to overturned chairs and empty bottle. "Tell me what happened."

"Great chappie, Plummer," Sherrod continued, ignoring the other's outstretched hand of curb. And I know, Ross, I'm so baby when it comes to the good old whisky. I'm glad you came over to his home; we're going to play some more. Better come along, Ross, old man."

"Tell me what happened!" snapped Ross, losing patience. "How much did he get the drop on you?"

"Oh!" laughed Sherrod unevenly. "How much did he skin me out of? Why, not a cent."

He sat up, adjusted the nose-glasses which had slipped awry, and ran his fingers through his hair. Ross stood on his feet and put his hands in his trousers pockets, looking down. The game, Sherrod said, was all right and he'd got a good deal. Yes sir." His hands made Ross's hands clench. "Kept on the level, I'll say. And I thought my luck had changed, the hand was so good. And then his would be better and he'd raise me. I'm a devil of a lucky slightly!"

"How much did he win?" thundered Ross.

"Way," hazarded Sherrod, shifting upon his elbow, "I'd say about—"

But Hard Ross had swept back the heat flap and was running toward the corral.

"What's the matter?" called Sherrod after him. "Where are you going? Come back! What's the hurry? Let me tell you—"

"I'm goin' to get my horse an' go after a little ride," Ross angry explained back at him. "An' you better be ridin' an' out, too. Unless under rear pillow, an' you passer don't come skin you goin's them."

CHAPTER V.

Sherrod awoke with a start. It was very dark in his tent and his imagination must help the frowning eyes to make out the form moving in the little enclosure. Then there was the spurt of a match, the black face and before the lantern was lighted he knew that it was Hard Ross returning from his ride.

He lay still, saying nothing, his eyes waiting for a view of the foreman's face. When the lantern flame grew separate from the thick darkness Sherrod saw that Hard Ross's eyes were tightly compressed and his eyes were stern and wrinkled.

"I must say," began the man on the bed, sitting up against his pillows, "you've got rather strange nocturnal habits, my dear fellow. To go for a ride at midnight for one thing; to come in here and wake me up, for another!"

"An' it strikes me I ain't the only man on this range," retorted Ross plainly, "that's got the habit of doin' mighty funny things."

He ran a big hand across his forehead and came to Sherrod's bed, towering over him.

"Here's your money," he said shortly. He drew a wad of bills from his full of gold and silver and dropped it upon the little table. "You might count it to see if it's right."

"What!" cried Sherrod incredulously. He was sitting up very straight now and his eyes were wide and incredibly. "You mean that is why you rode after Plummer? You held him up?"

"I ain't built that way, nor are you if I'd been highwayman for ten years," shortly. "An' now I'm goin' to bed. You better get some sleep yourself, Mr. Sherrod."

"Go ahead," returned Sherrod, watching him wonderingly and making no move to count the confusion of coins. "I say Ross, I never want to be drawing it rather mild, Ross."

"It's jus' this: I ain't ever saw a cowardly man yet that was a mean, tenderfoot than you in all my days an' I don't expect to live long enough to see your brand. I'll be damned if I'm in' me. That's your funeral. If you want to let a crook come an' skin you ain't your pile on a string of raw deals—"

"You don't mean to insinuate," cut in Sherrod, his face flushing, "that I've reaches for it. I'm jus' sayin' he's as high up in the order of thievin' crooks as I am in that of coffee a quiet, peaceful—"

He sought for his words, found them, stuck them upon his nose and directed a keen glance through them upon Ross.

"An' I'm tellin' you, sir!" he went on hotly: considerable stock from the Slippers off an' on for quite a spell. That stock ain't been climbin' over the hills for wagon roads an' it ain't been divin' down the lakes lookin' for trouts. They've been stole, stole right under your nose, an' you've got a couple of weeks ago Silver Slippers, the fines' little mare you ever throwed a leg over, an' you've let her down there. Nop, I ain't a mind-reader maybe, but I ain't quite exactly what you call a fool, an' I'm tellin' you that the crook as is back of the whole deal. An' do I look like a man as is goin' to let a thief ride around on a square into-camp an' stick the owner of the Up an' Down for five hundred dollars? Now, what's the point? You laughin' at me all the time!" Ross's big fists were doubled, his eyes threatening. "Get up an' ride after him an' overtook him on the trail or what'd you hittle talk with him!"

Bull Plummer cried Sherrod "You don't mean that you suspect Plummer of being a cattle thief; Why, my dear fellow, I've had a talk with him right that he's been losing stock, too. He's still looking for it. We got together and formulate some scheme for apprehending the rustler. Why, Ross, that is the business he came over for—to over to take this money back to Mr. Plummer, and I'm going to apologize for my rude conduct of tonight. And then—"

"I don't take no manner of difference to me what you do," cut in Ross angrily. "An' it don't make no difference to me if Plummer does, jus' so long he keeps off this range as long's as I'm foreman here, an' jus' so he don't take nothin' off'n the range as don't belong to him."

"But, look here, Ross—"

"It's goin' to look," Ross snapped back at him. And Ross went to bed.

When he had gone Mr. Sherrod lay very still for a long time, his eyes full of speculation as they rested upon the money on the table. Then he took off his glasses, put them by the money, put out his light, and lay back, laughing softly as though at a rare jest.

"I'd like to know just what was said on the trail," he chuckled. "Good old Ross!" And then he went to sleep.

In the morning the expected happened when Sherrod complained of a headache and beseeched Cookie, as the ranch's darkness invited him to help himself to a dollar or so. Cookie made it four dollars and a half an hour, back to the bank-house whistling and meditating a little trip to White Rock for a spree with his old-time friends.

Early that an hour after the coffee had been drunk Sherrod came into the bunk-house. He made a rather genial then, and smoked a cigaret. And then he prepared for his ride, for the returning of a bill and five hundred dollars poker money.

He shaved and spent much time reviewing a spot from the mirror which he brought to light a new silk shirt. Calls one a bright red, and a very beautiful one it was. He selected it with care it. Then, his money in his pocket, his two revolvers bumping grandly against his hips, he was in the saddle. In the morning sunlight, he went down to the corral, cornered his horse and caught him with cooing words and a wisp of hay, saddled and rode away toward the Upper End.

It was a wonderful morning, and Sherrod, as he rode his gentle horse through the valley, sang little snatches of song and laughed often and for no brightening glances. He had before him some five miles before he came to the Upper End where the valley cliffs closed in about the Twin Lakes, another five miles and he would be at the Bar Diamond headquarters. Now and then he could hear the tinkling of creek which after slipping through its rock-bound gorges where it leaped from its source in the Twin Lakes, in its merry race westward to water the meadows of the Up and Down.

Upon his left the Up and Down bunk house behind him Sherrod rode into what the boys called Big Tree Meadow. Here the valley widened out suddenly, here the floor was level and studded with great venerable cedars and huge pine outlines against which were tossed so high against the sky that a man under them lost sight of the rock walls of the valley two or three miles away from him on right and left. Half an hour's leisurely progress through Big Tree Meadow brought the young rider to the Narrows where again the cliffs drew closer in on each hand and where more than a mile separated them.

Through the Narrows Sherrod rode on, touching his ambling horse with the spur and breaking into a gallop as the valley broke into foothills running perpendicularly along the boundary lines of the range, were impossible of crossing for cattle and horses.

"Lots of fence was saved when this valley was made," he meditated.

The foothills were mounded with almost in parallel lines until he had ridden into the Gap. Here the cliffs were set with scrubby cedars again on each side, and through them, rushing downward from a rocky shelf, the creek made its happy course over the white froth of waterfalls. Here the trail became suddenly steep and dif ficult, winding back and forth along the rising precipices, at times so narrow that the rider's leg scraped against the rocks, and a drop of a few feet on the right hand dropped straight a hundred feet into the whirlpools.

Again at a turning through a level, tree-studded plateau, and then all unheralded, the bright beauty of Twin Lakes. One of them lay at the rider's feet, the other a very little less, the overflow of one making its town as the creek, fringed with mountain willow by the creek, fringed with mountain willow and cedars mirrored in the placid surface, and beyond the other lake the watering-places of the wild from the uplands, and beyond, lay before they were the owner like great, glorious park, in a setting of emerald. For every where the landscape was dotted with boulders, at the foot of pine and cedar was a screen of wine, a mat of flowers. The trail descended gradually at time and weather had carved into the rock walls and whence many a little spring burst forth. The meadow stood thick and tall, bush stemmed flowers lifted their yellow and their blue to view.

It was a fairy look, and this morning under the warm blue sky should have been peopled with fairies. Sherrod raised in his horse and sat very still in the saddle looking upon this corner of his possessions admiringly.

"It's worth all that the range cost me," he said quietly to his horse, who went to indicate that perhaps Sherrod was not altogether a fool and a blind man.

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FRENCH OBSERVE ST. PATRICK'S DAY BY MAKING BRILLIANT ADVANCE

Paris, March 21—The 17th of March will remain among the most memorable days of the war in the opinion of the French who are at the front, who see in the advance on the front in the Crozat area since the battle of the Marne. It is considered not merely a local success, but a strategic retreat forced on Germany, the full consequence of which could not be revealed till later. The fact that the French at certain points went beyond the road from Roye to Noyon indicates that the Germans retreat will not end there.

The Germans are still at Noyon, a favorite garage of the Parliamentary opponents of the Government, who sought to ingratiate upon it the fact that the Germans were only sixty-seven miles from Paris, will now have to be abandoned, it is hoped, as the town is expected to be in the hands of the French soon.

It would be difficult to say, military critics assert, where the Germans propose to establish a stable defence. The retreat of modern armies, encumbered with great supplies of material, can be effected only with extreme slowness, which permits an active and resolute adversary to maintain contact unceasingly.

This is the first occasion since the armies have been established on the western front that French villages have been evacuated by the Germans and occupied by the French and British. Bapaume, Bray, Ham and Nesle, a large number of villages in Picardy and Artois, which for two years have not seen French uniforms, now see witness the Tri-color of their country and the flag of their allies.

800 CITIZENS LIBERATED

The victorious entry of the French into Roye on the heels of the retreating Germans was marked by stirring incidents, in which 800 liberated citizens participated, regardless of danger. The inhabitants threw themselves in front of the arriving French soldiers, all shouting as they did so "Vive la France," women hugged them, while old people grasped their hands. Tears were in the eyes of all, when suddenly a twelve-year-old boy began singing the "Marseillaise," which was taken up instantly by the population. On rushing waves of soldiers joined, and it was to the strains of the National Anthem that the French outposts left Roye pressing the retreating Germans.

The general feeling is that the adversary has suffered a severe blow, which may have still greater consequences. The French and British advance was made over ground measuring approximately eight kilometres (about 53 miles), and may be extended at some points, where artillery actions have been exceedingly intense in the last few days.

The very day that there appear the first signs of determination the Government that prepared the deliverance disappears. Must we suppose that it would have had better chances of remaining in power if our affairs had not gone so well?

STATE OF WAR NOW EXISTS BETWEEN GERMANY AND STATES

Washington, March 18 — With the announcement of the ruthless destruction of three unarmed American merchant ships by submarines, it was officially admitted here tonight that virtually a state of war exists between the United States and Germany.

Technically the United States remains in a position of armed neutrality. Whether this shall be changed before April 14, the date fixed for a special session of Congress, the war-making branch of the Government, President Wilson has not decided.

Washington, March 18 — Three steamships during the American war have been accounted for by Germany's unrestricted submarine warfare. Their total gross tonnage was 14,587.

Cable despatches from London indicate 48 men of the crews unaccounted for. Of these 24 are known to be Americans by birth or naturalization.

The American steamers Vigilancia, City of Memphis and Illinois were the vessels sent to the bottom by German submarines. The Vigilancia was torpedoed without warning, and the City of Memphis was torpedoed after the crew had been given fifteen minutes to leave the ship. The Illinois is reported merely as having been "sunk." The crew of the Illinois was saved, but members of the crews of both the Vigilancia and the City of Memphis, most of them Americans, are missing. The City of Memphis and the Illinois were bound respectively from Cardiff and London for the United States in ballast. The Vigilancia was bound for Havre.

SOME AMERICANS SAVED

A despatch from Consul Frost stated that 23 survivors of the City of Memphis had been landed at Queenstown, and that seven American were among the fifteen landed at Schull, the despatch states that the vessel was sunk by gunfire, and that the submarine, which was of a large type, remained on the scene after the crew had left, declining to refused a request to tow the boats to land. The survivors at Schull include Dallas Carroll (formerly of Nova Scotia, a naturalized citizen), second officer; — McPherson, second engineer; Robert Shea, surgeon; John Walkin, Henry Company, Gas Company, A. D. Benton, all Americans, and five Spanish, one Portugese, one Swede and one Russian.

The department announced that a despatch from Consul-General Skinner at London, said it is reported the City of Memphis, the Illinois and the Vigilancia (probably Vigilancia), all American steamers, had been sunk, the latter without warning. The message added that some of the crew of the City of Memphis had been landed, that a patrol boat had gone to pick up the crew of the Illinois.

The steamship Memphis, 5,252 tons, was in ballast from Cardiff to New York; the Vigilancia was a steamship of 4,115 tons; the steamer Illinois was in ballast from London for Port Arthur.

HYMENEAL

HOWDEN—DOWNER

The marriage of Roy Lattelford Howden to Martha Jane Downer, both of Emily township was celebrated at the Emily manse in mimmo brated at the George Street Methodist parsonage, Peterboro, Wednesday, by the Rev. R. G. Peever. They were unattended and will reside in Emily.

ARKWRIGHT—IRVINE

Gazette—A pleasing event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Irvine, Rosedale, on Wednesday 14th inst. when their eldest daughter, Annie Elizabeth Viola, was united in the bonds of matrimony to James Bruce Arkwright, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Arkwright, also of Rosedale. The Rev. James Fraser, of Omemee, Ont., tied the nuptial knot in the presence of about thirty guests, relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The happy couple have the best wishes of a large circle of friends. They will reside in Verulam on the farm recently vacated by Mr. Robert Hetherington.

BEEMER—BROKENSHIRE

A quiet wedding was solemnized at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, March 14th, in North Parkdale Methodist parsonage, by the Rev. J. C. Speer, D. D., officiating, when Evelyn Marie, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. H. Brokenshire, of Los Angeles, Cal., was united in marriage to Capt. Marshall Howard Beemaster, 204th Battalion, C.E.F., (formerly of Lindsay) third son of Mrs. J. Brokenshire, 76 Gailey avenue. The bride was given away by Capt. W. A. Woodcock, and wore a suit of navy blue gabardine and blue hat with touches of coral velvet. She was attended by Miss Edna Woodcock, wearing a brown suit, with hat to match. The groom was assisted by Capt. Ross Craig, the wedding music being played by Mr. Frank G. Lewis, organist and choirmaster of the church. After the ceremony Capt. and Mrs. Brokenshire left for a short trip. On their return the bride will reside in Toronto, while the groom leaves shortly for overseas.

OBITUARY

WILFRID S. HALL

The funeral of the late Wilfrid S. Hall took place from the family residence, Cambridge st. to Riverview Cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. F. H. McIntosh. The pall bearers were Messrs. H. Brown, S. Clarke, W. Bell, E. Henley, F. Campbell, D. M. Lockwood.

JAMES TINDLE

James Tindle, aged 86, died at his home in Smith township Friday morning. He leaves a widow and four children, Thomas at home, Mrs. Alexander Sanderson, Smith, Mrs. Henry Curtis, and Mrs. Thomas Carter, Peterborough. The funeral will be held on Sat. at 2.30 from his late residence, lot 7, con. 5, to Little Lake Cemetery, Peterboro.

MISS F. J. POTTS

Suddenly on Thursday, midnight, March 15th, 1917, at Toronto, Miss Fannie Johnston Potts, graduate nurse of Polyclinic Hospital, New York City, and daughter of the late Adam and Jane Johnston Potts, of Fenelon Falls, Ont.

The funeral will take place today at Fenelon Falls.

MRS. W. WATSON

Omemee, March 14.—News of the death of Ethel Thompson, beloved wife of William Watson, of Cabbeckh and daughter of the late Mr. Thompson, was received in Omemee on Thursday. Mrs. Watson was well known in Omemee, having lived here as a child. Left to mourn her loss are her husband and one daughter, aged five, as well as her mother, sisters and brothers. The relatives have the sympathy of the entire village.

MARY HICKE Y

Petersboro Examiner: Death Tuesday night released a patient sufferer from a long illness when Mary, beloved wife of Mr. H. J. Hickey, (and aunt of Mr. Harry Hickey, contractor Flavelles cold storage plant) passed away at the family residence, 103 Rosedall avenue Mrs. Hickey was the daughter of Bridget and Francis Dunn, and a life long resident of the city. Her death will be a serious loss to the many who have benefitted by her practical charity, and who have worked with her in church duties.

She is survived by one daughter, Madeline, at home, and one brother, Mr. Austin Dunn, Port William.

JOHN C. KELLS

After a life of assiduous and devotion to the interest and welfare of the village of Millbrook, in which he had lived for forty-five years, Mr. John Christopher Kells died this morning, aged 62 years. Mr. Kells met with an automobile accident last August and while his injuries were not considered very serious at the time, his nerves were affected and he failed to rally, death being due to a collapse of the nervous system. He was a son of the late John Kells, and was born in Lindsay in 1855.

Deceased was senior member of the firm of Kells, Fowler & Co., general merchants in Millbrook. For many years he had taken a forward movement in all matters pertaining to the welfare of Millbrook and surrounding district. He had served on the council for a number of years, and had held the office of reeve with distinction for several terms, many years ago. He is a Knight of Pythias, A. N. and a past master of the lodge and a member of the Grand Lodge.

A Anglican in religion, the late Mr. Kells had been an active and ardent member of St. Thomas' church where he had served as church warden.

He was universally esteemed, and by all Millbrook will feel the loss one of its most distinguished citizens.

Surviving are his widow, two daughters, Miss Annie Kells at home and Mrs. Sims, of Barrie, and one brother, Richard Kelleh formerly a merchant in Peterboro, now residing in Toronto.

PORTER S. WHITE

Peterboro Examiner: Mr. Porter S. White died Thursday morning at the family residence, 511 Stewart street.

Mr. White has not been in the best of health since four years ago, when he had a stroke, but has been going about the city, and was at his store last night.

This morning he rose at seven o'clock seemingly as well as usual. He went into another room, and on returning tried to speak to Mrs. White, but found speech difficult. He, however, managed to tell her of a severe pain in his head, and that he thought that he thought he had another stroke. Dr. Moir was immediately summoned but efforts to save Mr. White proved futile and he died at ten o'clock.

Mr. White was born in Ballsboro fifty-four years ago and was the son of the late Samuel White. He resided in Lindsay for some years before coming to Peterboro, in 1899, where he has been prominently identified in the business world, having for eighteen years conducted a successful grocery business. He was a faithful member of the Murray street Baptist church and took an active interest in all church work. He is survived by his wife, formerly Letitia C. Barnard, and two children, Roy and Louise, four brothers, Joseph of Courtland, John, Thomas and James, and one sister, Minnie, of Ballsboro. His remains are residing at Ballsboro, also survives.

SAMUEL McWATTERS

The following from the Stayner Sun refers to a brother of the late Roy C. McWatters, and an uncle of Mr. Walter McWatters:

On Thursday, March 1st, 1917, at the residence of his son, there passed away one of Stayner's most respected citizens in the person of Mr. Samuel McWatters at the age of 77 years. Although Mr. McWatters had not been in the best of health for some time past, yet he was able to be around until a few days of his death. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon last, the services conducted by the Rev. K. McLean conducting the funeral service. The pallbearers were Messrs. H. Gibson, J. Stephenson, J. Wilcox, Wm. Giffen, Jas. Prentice and Neil Pearson.

Samuel McWatters was born in the County Down, Ireland, in 1840, and came to Canada with his parents when nine years of age, settling in the township of Verulam. At the age of 25 years he married Miss Jane Montgomery, of Verulam. Shortly after his marriage they moved to the township of Medonte, where they lived until then, for the 4th line of Nottawasaga, for about five years. In 1872 he moved to town, where he resided until his death.

The deceased was twice married, his first wife dying in 1900, about eight years ago he married Mrs. John Panton, of this place.

Mr. McWatters was well known all over the country, having been engaged in the piano and sewing machine business for a number of years. He was honest and upright in all his dealings and won the respect of all. In religion he was a Methodist, and he was a Presbyterian, in politics a Conservative, and was a member of the Orange Order.

Besides a widow he leaves one sister, Mrs. Margaret Earle, of Chicago, and three sons and one daughter, children of the first wife, George E. and John W., of Toronto, David, of Buffalo, and Mrs. A. E. Sibley, who is in the States.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. McWatters and Mr. George McWatters, of Toronto were here for the funeral.

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The three pictures are a suggestion for reduction on three different places of the war. The transportation of troops from the overseas dominions to the motherland and from the motherland to the different spheres of military activity with which the motherland is concerned, has been the problem that has been solved with very little hardship or loss of life, while the enemy submarines have held out for them. Perhaps one of the hardest tasks on the troopship shows that transporting of the sick are generally emergencies. Several of the Canadian Pacific Railway boats are engaged in conveying troops from Canada to England. They have also been employed on other missions in the same transportation task, and so far there have been no casualties. The view of the sick bay is a most interesting one, although there is nothing to fought at a close range. The bed there in front of them are called hammocks, and should the German bed you see on the right was a gigantic cushion they are sure to die in their cots as it is impossible for their anchors who made the British ships of the waves. The one of the forces in motorcars that he destroyed in France and so far as the pictures. German ingenuity is not equal to the ingenuity of the Great Britain and her allies, and the greatest of German guns are rent to pieces by the forts of a little British ship.

The Canadians who have gone overseas play no small part in the big gun fighting that is done on the Western battlefront. Heavy and light artillery batteries have been formed in Canada as a result of training in many parts of the British Isles and France, and after having completed training before the sending to the front. In the firing lines they prove their gun marksmanship often—levelled German trenches smashed and the havoc they spread among the enemy's entrenchments shattered the British infantry, and the pass twenty miles and corpses of the enemy that were strewed the way were Britain's soldiers.

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DAIRYMEN'S CONVENTION THURSDAY INTERESTING ADDRESSES DELIVERED

The Holstein-Friesian Dairyman's Association of Victoria County held their annual convention in the council chamber on Thursday afternoon. The president, Mr. W. Newman, presided. Although the number of dairymen present was not large, the meeting was very enthusiastic. The excellence of the addresses, however, merited a much larger attendance. Several items of business were discussed by the meeting, and the election of officers took place. The officers for the coming year are:

President—Wm. Newman, Lorneville, (re-elected.)

1st. Vice-president—Jas. Manning, Hartley.

2nd Vice-president—Roy St. John Bobcaygeon.

Secretary-treasurer — Mr. A. A. Knight, Lindsay.

Directors—Messrs, M. E. Lane, Little Britain; F. C. Taylor, Bobcaygeon; Nelson Hall, Lindsay.

At the conclusion of the business session, the meeting was addressed by Mr. H. Barnes, of Harriston, on "The feeding of dairy cows," and by R. S. Stevenson, of Ancaster, on "Standards for Judging." Mr. Barnes' address was practical and interesting. His knowledge, gained by experience, made his address all the more timely.

By all means, said Mr. Barnes, when your logic is raise a herd of thoroughbred dairy cows but a good cow to start with. $500 is not too much for a good cow. With regard to feed, the speaker said, "Many people believe in economizing by putting a lot of straw to feed with the ensilage, but they do not get results. By feeding straw you get a lot of fibre, which the straw contains, her digestive organs are injured and still the milk is not produced. The following is the ration fed by Mr. Barnes to one cow per day during a test for record milk production: 50 lbs. ensilage, 50 lbs.; roots, 100 lbs.; oat and wheat chop, mixed, 12 lbs.; bran, 10 lbs.; oil cake, 1 lbs.; bran, 4 gallons, and sufficient quantities of salt charcoal and stock food.

Mr. Barnes is a firm believer in the system of weighing cows as a basis for dairy cows. He has found from experience and actual test that four pounds of cotton seed meal will produce the same result per day as twenty pounds of oat chop, and it is just as safe.

The greater variety of food the animal receives the better will be the appetite. A cow is like a machine, but we understand her less. A cow that gives less than 6000 lbs. of milk per year is very unprofitable. Allowing for labor, roughage and expenses the cow producing 6000 lbs. of milk yearly only produces a profit of $8, while a 7000 lb. per year cow, produces $21 profit, and a cow producing 10000 lbs. per year will give a profit of $42. The latter is in Association, of Victoria County held their annual convention in the council chamber on Thursday afternoon. The president, Mr. W. Newman, presided. Although the number of dairymen present was not large, the meeting was very enthusiastic. The excellence of the addresses, however, merited a much larger attendance. Several items of business were discussed by the meeting, and the election of officers took place. The officers for the coming year are:

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By all means, said Mr. Barnes, when your logic is raise a herd of thoroughbred dairy cows but a good cow to start with. $500 is not too much for a good cow. With regard to feed, the speaker said, "Many people believe in economizing by putting a lot of straw to feed with the ensilage, but they do not get results. By feeding straw you get a lot of fibre, which the straw contains, her digestive organs are injured and still the milk is not produced. The following is the ration fed by Mr. Barnes to one cow per day during a test for record milk production: 50 lbs. ensilage, 50 lbs.; roots, 100 lbs.; oat and wheat chop, mixed, 12 lbs.; bran, 10 lbs.; oil cake, 1 lbs.; bran, 4 gallons, and sufficient quantities of salt charcoal and stock food.

Mr. Barnes is a firm believer in the system of weighing cows as a basis for dairy cows. He has found from experience and actual test that four pounds of cotton seed meal will produce the same result per day as twenty pounds of oat chop, and it is just as safe.

The greater variety of food the animal receives the better will be the appetite. A cow is like a machine, but we understand her less. A cow that gives less than 6000 lbs. of milk yearly only produces a profit of $8, while a 7000 lb. per year cow, produces $21 profit, and a cow producing 10000 lbs. per year will the Holstein Friesian organization, as the strongest in the Dominion.

The testing of cows, more consistently the thoroughbreds was urged. The most valuable test is that of performance, the long test. Also keep up the sire. You do not see as many at the Holland type Holstein as previously. They are unfortunately getting smaller. Breed a cow as long as they are not coarse, and get a good foundation for your herd. Buy two cows at market to experience is half a bargain. Never buy a poorer one. The head of a good Holstein cow should be long and clean cut, the eye wide and full and good length between the horns and a good broad mouth. The hitter indicates a good feeder. A long slim neck indicates a persistent milker. The shoulders should be fairly broad, with no depression behind them. There should be also a loose open conformation of the back bone, coming well up at the shoulders. Good ribs and ribs are also essential. Good straight cattle sell better. Pendulous udder is objectionable because it is liable to injury, and collects dirt. In judging, thirty-five out of one hundred points are given for good udder, but not, however, pay too much attention to any one point. Keep up the type and don't go after phenomenal records and nothing else.

The base of improvements is in the sire. You cannot pay too much for a good sire, and you can afford to borrow money to get a good one. Have very particular about the breeding ancestry, as defects are hereditary.

Many other useful suggestions were brought out by Mr. Stevenson in answer to questions. During the meeting the following resolution was passed:

Moved by J. F. Dix and Jas. Manning: Resolved that this meeting favors the clause in the Standard Bread Act which has to do with the grading of cream and ask the government to pass this part of the Act and bring it into effect as soon as possible.

Whereas it is currently reported that a strong movement has been set on foot to set aside the regulations by which the manufacture and sale of oleo-margarine in Canada is prohibited, And whereas is a well known fact that dairying generally is exposed for sale a persistent effort is made to represent it as inferior to the compounded fats that has been found impossible, even by the assistment of the most erudite legislation, to prevent the adulteration of this practice, and that we are of the opinion that it would work disastrous results with our dairy and cheese industry, with no particular benefit to the consumer.

Therefore be it resolved that we, the Victoria Holstein Breeders' Association do strongly protest against oleo-margarine, and that we also strongly urge upon Government of the Dominion of Canada the desirability of allowing such a measure to remain in force.

HAPPY FARMER GROWS ALFALFA

(By H. Glendinning, Maulila, Ont., (From Saturday's Daily.)

With many farmers in Ontario the question of feed is a very trying one this winter. The hay crop last summer was generally poor and owing to many sections was almost a failure. Consequently there is a shortage of roughage feeds this year for many farmers in the dairy farmer and the best raiser as well.

The man who had a good acreage of alfalfa is in an easy position this winter as far as feed is concerned. Mr. Glendinning strongly urged the is to procure the right kind of stock to consume the feed that was produced on the farm.

Farmers who have tried alfalfa as a crop, as a rule, are exceedingly well pleased with the crop generally. Why do we not see more fields of it in Ontario?

If I may be permitted to give some of my personal experiences with this valuable crop, it may help those who some light upon the question.

A FIRST EXPERIENCE

About twenty-five years ago I sowed my first alfalfa. The catch was good, so far as the number of plants was concerned, but the growth was so setters were weak, puny things with small yellow leaves. Not knowing anything about the plant I soon concluded that this was the natural way the plant grew. The land was in a district in Nova Scotia where I had the first fall. The plants had made a fair growth and the land was such as we would see on farms now. The following spring we had a good crop of hay and all of the plants that were delighted with the way the pigs grew and fattened on this pasture. With the addition of some meal we thought that we had struck on an easy way of making money out of hogs. Only we had been told that alfalfa was a perennial and the best pasture plant known. Judge of our surprise the following spring, when we could scarcely find a plant. We had pastured too late in the fall, hence the spring killing.

Pasturing was not enough for us. We got the same results in a more or less degree for several years in succession. We had nobody to tell us the cause of our failures, and we kept on repeating them until we found out that having a good growth in the fall standing on the fields to hold the snow and break the force of the frost, the winter winds in April was an important factor in the success of growing alfalfa. Another cause of failure was the sowing of the ordinary commercial alfalfa seed. Much of this seed was probably grown in a warm climate, and when sown in our northern and more rigorous climate many of the plants killed by the spring frosts.

NO FAILURES WITH THIS SEED.

Since we have sown only the Ontario variegated variety of seed grown in Ontario we have had little trouble with winter or spring killing out.

In the first of this article I mentioned that we had the plants of our first attempt to grow alfalfa were small, weak and yellow. The reason was that the soil lacked the proper bacteria. At that time practically nothing was known about alfalfa bacteria, and how to overcome this, who had and little about it to the outside world. To the beginner it is important to get the right kind of bacteria, known as "nitro-culture for alfalfa, which can be procured from the O. A. C. or advertised in the farm papers or sold alfalfa field on the land.

After alfalfa has been grown on a farm for few years it will not be necessary to trouble about inoculation, as the bacteria or germ is soon spread over all the farm.

HARDINESS OF ALFALFA

I have sold of our failures in the past. I now have 50 acres of the present, and leave it with the reader as to whether alfalfa is a success with us or not. We had 72 acres of alfalfa last year, and have 50 for the coming season. There was no winter killing this spring; every plant came through in perfect condition. I have given a hear same space as to the growers and to what came through in good shape in the spring of 1916." I grant that statement may be incorrect. What about the spring of 1915? In our section of the country there was no fall and no thick clover was killed so badly, that they had to be ploughed up. The same conditions applied to the fall of 1916.

We had between fifty and sixty acres of alfalfa, and I think I am safe in saying that we did not have a red square in the whole lot winterkilled. This should be enough to establish the hardiness of the variegated, but we had them on the farm when we had our failures. It is essential that the land should be dry, it should have enough fall to carry off surface water in the fall, it will not come around the crowns of the plants and form ice. If not naturally underdrained, tile drains will do a lot of the soil. I have seen good crops by al-

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FIGHT OVER USE OF OLEOMARGARINE

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Montreal Journal of Commerce: The battle over the question of permitting the sale of oleomargarine in Canada is beginning to take the form of City Versus Country. Several farmers' associations have passed resolutions strongly protesting against any modification of the law which prohibits the manufacture and importation of oleomargarine. In several instances municipal bodies in rural districts, where the farmers' view of public questions prevails, have also passed resolutions to the same effect, but on the other hand the public opinion of the cities seems to regard the abolition of the present law as a step tending of reducing the very high cost of living. City councils are passing resolutions asking the Ottawa Ministry to allow oleomargarine. Some trade unions take a similar view, though one labor leader has said that he does not like to see an influential representation from the women of the city has shown the city council to cooperate in the effort to remove the ban.

The farming interest generally can hardly be said to have expressed itself, and perhaps there is no organization which has a position to speak for it broadly. The agricultural societies and municipal bodies which are championing the existing prohibition will not be-wise if they press their views, unless they are prepared to show that the oleomargarine of commerce is unwholesome. A movement of that kind supported by sound authority, would enlist the sympathy of independent public opinion. But prohibition on the prohibition as a protective measure for the producers of butter cannot be sustained by argument. Butter is now at a very high price in Canada—so high that to many of the poorer families it is no longer an article of common use. If the admission of oleomargarine would affect some reduction in the price of butter that certainly would not be a good objection. The demand for butter is so large that even at the present high cost it finds ready markets. That the admission of oleomargarine would reduce the cost of butter is far from certain. But it would enable the poorer people to obtain at a moderate price a substitute that would serve some of the purposes of butter. If provision be made by law that the article must be sold under its real name, not fraudulently passed off as butter, and if no sound objection can be raised against its use from the viewpoint of conserving the health of the people, the existing prohibition should be removed.

There is a prima facie case for the contention that oleomargarine, as now produced and sold in all other civilized countries, is not unclean or unwholesome. If this cannot be upheld, the case for the ban has no domain. But the onus of proof seems to rest upon those who allege that oleomargarine is not fit for domestic use.

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BRAKEMAN HAD SIDE CRUSHED IN

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Orillia News-Letter.—An accident that may prove fatal, occurred in the G.T.R. yards on Monday at noon, when Herbert Pybus, of Allandale, a brakeman, had his left side crushed in and his arm broken in several places. He was taken to the hospital, and his condition is critical, with slight hope for his recovery. The unfortunate man was working in the yard here coupling and uncoupling cars which were being shifted. A car which had been shunted, loose came moving toward him. In attempting to step aside he slipped and fell and the wheel of the car jumped into his left side as he lay across the rail. While the wheel did not pass over him, the car having nearly stopped, it humped him along and crushed in and lacerated his side, besides breaking his arm in several places. He was at once taken to the hospital.

One squeeze finishes a lemon, but it only gets a girl interested.

Children Cry
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CASTORIA

S. VICTORIA MEMBER ASKED QUESTION AND SAM CARTER ANSWERED IT

(From Monday's Daily.)

Globe: The Conservatives looked somewhat gloomy in the Public Accounts Committee of the Legislature Friday when the Liberals went over seriatim the outstanding accounts connected with the furhishings at Government House. Mr. H. Hartley Dewart, K.C., had the examination in hand for the Liberals, and when noticeable items of war-time extravagance were brought to light the faces of the Government supporteds made one understand their oft-repeated entreaties in the House to the Liberals to quit the Government House talk. Mr. V. A. Sinclair, of South Oxford, who recognizes how hard it will be to keep his majority of one intact, was chief apologist for the Government, but his effort sat trying to put a good face on things miserably failed. The articles and the amounts spoke for themselves, and there was no room for "whitewashing."

WAR-TIME "ECONOMIES."

After most of the damaging information had been extracted, Mr. John Carew, (South Victoria) showed signs of temper, and wanted to know what was the use of going over the items when the figures were not disputed. Mr. Sam Carter, the member for Souh Wellington, was downright plain about it when he replied, "If you go and show a man in a $1,000 house that you have paid $1,000 for a carpet you will get his ack up." He added that there had been a lot of extravagance here, and the people would not stand for it. There was a good deal of hubbub over this, and Mr. Carew and others still looked indignant.

Mr. Charles McCrea, (Sudbury), the Chairman, said the South Wellington member had made the object of the inquiry pretty plain.

EXPLAINING EXPENDITURES

Among the items which figured in the accounts were: Donegal rug in State room, $1,428; Donegal rug in drawing-room, $1,380; Donegal rug in living room, $898. The State reception room furniture figured $3,595. A $700 item, "one commode," raised a good deal of curiosity, and, amid roars of merriment, Mr. R. P. Fairbairn, Deputy Minister of Public Works, who was giving evidence, explained that the commode was a cabinet for curios.

"IN KEEPING" WITH THE PLACE.

Then came sixty dining-room chairs at $24 each, eight pairs rose silk drawing-room curtains, $800; four pairs green silk curtains, $428; curtains for ballroom archway, $445; two dining room curtains, $190; brass poles and fittings, $1,234. Mr. Sinclair drew from Mr. Sinclair that there was nothing unreasonable or extravagant, that "it was all in keeping with the place." They got value for their money. When an attempt was made by Mr. Sinclair to belittle another expenditure, Mr. Dewart looking serious, but with a touch of sarcasm, remarked, "Oh, just in keeping with the place."

TOUCHING THE HIGH SPOTS

The next items mentioned were State reception room table, $310, and screens and other articles, including two Elizabethan hall tables, $150 each, making $499. Then Mr. Dewart espied something more and cried, "Oh, here's another item for rugs and tapestries, $2,405." The Oriental rugs for the palm room figured $1,165, ten rugs ranging in price from $27.50 to $250.

RURAL MEMBER SAYS "REASONABLE."

Mr. Sinclair—A very reasonable price for Oriental rugs. They have gone up very much since the war.

The Duke's bedroom suite, which was among the other items, amounted to $1,589.

NO TENDERS CALLED FOR

After Mr. Fairbairn had stated there had been no tenders, on account of the nature of the purchases, Mr. Dewart asked who fixed the prices on behalf of the Government. The Deputy Minister replied that the architect of the department, after making inquiries of different firms, decided to give the work to the T. Eaton Co.

Mr. Dewart figured that the accounts that had been brought in figured $80,497.

It was also brought out that the erection of the garage, stable and coach house cost $14,637.

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To the Editor Lindsay Post:—

Dear Sir,—I enclose list of N.C.O's. and men of my company that are now over in France in the firing line. All of these men came from Victoria County in September 1916. "C" company took their musketry and qualified to go to France. When the division asked for 200 men from the 109th Battalion the Victoria County boys all volunteered to fill the draft. The names of the men I send you are the men that went and the balance of the 200 was made up out of A., B., C. and D. companies. No braver nor better men ever crossed the Atlantic than these noble boys from Victoria county. The spirit those boys displayed when they were informed that they were going to France, was magnificent and was admired by every officer, N. C. O. and man in the Bramshott division.

I also have reverted to the rank of Captain in order to gain permission to proceed to France, where I will be attached to the Battalion in which my company is serving, and fully expect to leave here in the course of a few days. On my arrival the whole establishment of "C" company recruited in Victoria County will then have been in the firing line. Some of whom have already been killed and many others wounded, thus proving to the country from whence they came that they were at all times ready and willing to do their bit, fully realizing that such are the fortunes of war. Please tell the people of Victoria county that each and every one of us has played the game.

H. HUTCHINS, Major.

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BRILLIANT ADVANCE BY ALLIES CHEERING NEWS FROM WEST FRONT

War Correspondents' Headquarters, Sunday.—To-day our troops entered Peronne. Standing alone that statement would be sensational enough. The French fought for Peronne desperately through more than two years of war, and now it is the luck of British troops to enter it, as yesterday we entered Bapaume after a short action with the enemy's rear guards; but the news does not stand alone. The whole of the old German line south of Arras, as strong as one vast fortress, and built by the labor of millions, dug and tunneled, and cemented and timbered, with thousands of machine guns, redoubts with an immense maze of trenches protected by forests of barbed wire, had slipped away as though by a landslide, and the enemy is in rapid retreat to new lines many miles away.

ENEMY APPLIES TORCHES.

As the enemy goes he is laying fire and waste to the countryside northeast of Bapaume, into which we went yesterday with our troops, and east of Peronne scores of villages are burning. One of them, larger than a village, the town of Atheis, is a flaming torch visible for miles around. Others are smouldering ruins from which volumes of smoke are rolling up into the clear blue sky. In all of the great tract of France which the enemy has been forced to abandon to avoid the menace of a combined attack there is no beauty left and no homesteads nor farms, but only black ruins and devastation everywhere.

POISONING THE WELLS.

The enemy is adopting the full cruelty of war's malignancy. He poisoned the wells in his wake so that if our soldiers or horses should drink there they would die. This was first discovered at Barleux, where the water tested yesterday after the German retreat was found to be full of arsenic. Other wells have been found treated in the same way. Over the waterways he has burnt his bridges. The cross-roads have been mined, opening up enormous craters like those I saw yesterday outside of Bapaume. High explosive traps have been placed in the way of our patrols to scatter them in fragments if they lack any caution.

ALLIED CAVALRY IS BUSY.

It is impossible for me to give our exact line at the present moment. We have no exact line; village after village has fallen into our hands since mid-day yesterday. Our cavalry patrols are over the hills and far away. Our infantry patrols are pushing forward into new territory so that only the airplanes know the exact whereabouts. As one aviator has just reported: "Our men are lighting fires and taking dinner at places off the map. They are going into pubs which have been burnt out to find beer which is not there."

North and west of Bapaume our patrols have gone beyond the villages of Rocquesnes, Bancourt, Favrenil and Zapignies. The intelligence officers, riding out on bicycles to these places, were scared to find themselves so lonely and believed the enemy must be close at hand, but the ending was still farther off. Our cavalry, working up past Logeast Wood, penetrated east of Achiet-le-Grand and turned the German line off Behafnies-Ypres.

Round Peronne our cavalry reconnoitered, crossing over the canal Du Nord, dry in parts, as the Germans have blown up the locks. Much farther south in the neighborhood of Nesle, the French and British cavalry patrols came in touch to-day, and one of our aviators reports he saw French civilians waving flags and cheering the men.

BRITISH AIRMAN KILLS A GERMAN CAVALRYMAN.

The Germans have a cavalry screen behind their rearguards. They were seen yesterday north of Bapaume and southwards beyond Roye, and some of them were chased by a British airman at a place called Ennermain. He swooped down low like an albatross, and brought a man off his horse by a machine gun bullet. The others stampeded from this terrible bird.

This morning our troops were through Eterpigny beyond Barleux, and found the villages of Misery and Marchelpot. There was some fighting last night and this morning in the neighborhood of Peronne. The enemy had snipers and machine-gunners about, which kept some of our batteries back until the last possible moment, flinging 5.9's and smaller shells over our side of the lines.

Last night our patrols got into the village of Mont St. Quentin, which is the chief defence of Peronne, and this morning they were in and through Moislains, Halle and Fevillancourt. Until late to-night the enemy was still holding the trenches on the other side of Peronne, northwest of Haute Allaines, but he is now gone, and our outposts now look down the valley of the little River Totille, a tributary of the Somme, from Moislains to Halle.

BRITISH ENTER PERONNE.

This morning our mounted troops entered Peronne itself. No enemy was there. The only thing there that looked like soldiers were two dummies which were shot at by our men until this German fake was discovered. Many dugouts were on fire, and part of the town was smouldering, but Peronne is not utterly destroyed and will be known again when the civilians come back to see the ruins of their homes. Many houses still stand, though wounded in their walls and roofs. The place is unlike the villages on the Somme battlefields, which are mostly wiped off the earth. The enemy seems to have abandoned his positions last night at a given time all along the line, firing heavily until about ten o'clock. Then the gunfire ceased and there was not a shot. His guns were going back along the dark roads. His rearguards moved away, leaving behind them their great defensive works of Bapaume ridge and burning villages. It is not for me to say how the German high command will explain this great retreat to the German people. It is a "strategical plan," but not all the phrases like that will hide the truth—that it is indeed a retreat, and that in front of British troops.

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"What was it?" asked her husband.

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"So you only had to spend half of the money you intended?"

"Oh, no, I bought two hats instead of one."

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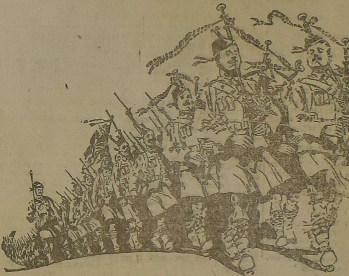

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BOBCAYGEON HAD "SPY" SCARE WHAT THE DETECTIVE DISCOVERED

Bobcaygeon, March 27.—Our chest sticks out as that of a pigeon. We are some punkins, we occupy the centre of the stage with the spotlight on us. One of Col. Sherwood's officers, whose duty it is to look after dangerous aliens, visited us last week. Said Fenelon Falls, Minden, Haliburton, Kinmount or Union Corners are not big enough for him, and if this doesn't entitle us to be county town when Lindsay separates, please tell us what qualifications are needed.

We have in our midst a real, live Austrian and his family. Lights have been seen in his dwelling and people heard moving around between the hour when ghosts walk and Sunrise. Startling things before the eyes made mysterious journeys from which he did not return until after good citizens were in bed. Was he operating cordelrates? Would our cars be startled by an explosion, and would we find the town hall, the canal, the fountain or the shudder to think of it—the rink in ruins? His movements were worth investigating, hence the visit of the detective. The investigation disclosed that the suspect had for years been a naturalized British subject. He was a buyer of produce and junk, and as he went far afield he was compelled to start early and late without any indication of whether it was in earnest with regard to Ireland, its path would be beset with difficulties, and it might find the situation worse than before.

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CANADIAN LOSSES ARE NOTABLY LIGHT

Canadian Army Headquarters in France, March 25.—The enemy varied his artillery activities considerably this morning by exploding a mine, which formed a considerable crater in the region of Hill 70, south of Lens. No infantry action. He made but little out of this enterprise, as our men were on the alert and proceeded immediately to organize the crater. Since then there has been increasing gunfire.

Last night, in all the raids and other small affairs of the last two weeks there has been notably light and the health of the troops is excellent.

The battalions which come out for rest are almost as fit as those going in.

CAPT. O'REGAN WAS ARRESTED

(From Friday's Daily.)

A. R. O'Regan, formerly a Captain attached to the 216th Battalion, and formerly adjutant of 109th Bn., Lindsay, and an employee of the Imperial Munitions Board, was arrested yesterday in Buffalo on a charge of theft at the instance of the Toronto police.

On March 7 last O'Regan was given, it is stated, money to make certain payments. An audit of his books later disclosed a shortage of $684.76, which he was asked to account for. He offered to do so, explaining that he would bring other books to the office of the Munitions Board immediately. He disappeared and was located by Buffalo.

SUGAR ADVANCES TEA SITUATION SERIOUS

(From Monday's Daily.)

Sugar made a decided advance on Saturday—26 cents on the hundred. Coffee also advanced $1.00 per case.

A serious situation is threatened in the tea market. There promises to be a shortage in black tea before the new stocks will arrive. The shipments from India and Ceylon have become to us via the Pacific, and it will take four months before the shipments ordered arrive. There is only a few months' supply in the Dominion.

BIGAMIST TO ENLIST

At last night's council session the question of a referendum at the municipal elections next January on the question of separation from the County was mentioned. It was pointed out that if such an expression of the electorate was taken, and later on the town applied for special legislation in connection with separation, adverse vote of the people might not be necessary.

Lots of men find it difficult to live up to the salary they want their friends to believe they are getting.

WORKING DAILY ON HOME RULE

London, March 26—Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, today asked the House of Commons, in order to expedite business, to suspend until Easter the rule under which the House rises at 11 o'clock daily. John Dillon, Nationalist member for East Mayo, vigorously protested against the Government's action, warned the Government "under a deep sense of responsibility," that it was impossible to start another Home Rule Bill without any indication of whether it was in earnest with regard to Ireland, its path would be beset with difficulties, and it might find the situation worse than before.

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SAW DAMAGE FROM CYCLONE

Millbrook, March 22. — Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stanton returned to Millbrook on Thursday last after an experience which they will never forget, having witnessed the terrible destruction caused by the cyclone at Newcastle, Ind., on March 14. The inmates of the house where Mr. and Mrs. Stanton were staying had barely time to get to the cellar before the roof was blown off. Mr. Stanton says that a home in which he was living at the time was safely brought down with rope and tackle none the worse for its experience, but the dwelling of Hungry have not yet been seen. Mr. and Mrs. Stanton are pleased to be home again.

PORT HOPE MAN TAKES HIS LIFE

(From Friday's Daily.)

Galbe—William T. Rogers, of the Canadian Company, Toronto, committed his life Monday while temporarily insane, by shooting himself through the head with a revolver. According to the police, Rogers' two brothers, who are partners in the business, found the body of their brother lying on the floor of the office at 1193 West Queen Street when they returned from lunch on Monday. In his hand he held a revolver. A doctor was called but pronounced life extinct.

Deceased was a former resident of Port Hope, being a son of the late Wm. Rogers, who was a carpenter in this town for many years and resided at the head of Jacob's Ladder. Interment took place here on Wednesday.

$40 A TON PAID FOR MILK

(From Friday's Daily.)

Farmers in the Brockville district have completed arrangements to supply milk to the Canadian Dairy Company this season, and the price has been fixed. The milk will be delivered daily at the factory plant, and the company agrees to pay $42 per ton in April, grading the price gradually until it reaches $40 per ton when as high as $50 a ton will be paid. The farmers in the district are pleased with the arrangement, which promises well for them.

TOWN BENEFITTED BY SEPARATION

At Friday night's council session, a member of the Board of Trade stated that he had fritten the clerks of some 50 or 60 villages and towns for benefits accruing from separation. With the replies received, it was stated that the municipalities had benefitted financially.

Oshawa is not as yet fully divorced from Ontario County, as there are still obligations which that municipality must assume before separation is finally accomplished.

'CAYGEON SOLDIER WELCOMED HOME

Bobcaygeon, March 27—Mr. Larry Seward, who returned from France on the transport service, has served his country in France, returned on Friday on the steamer Lapland and as a result of a serious injury, expects an honorable discharge. He was met at the station by the band, the citizens and the school children, and given a right royal welcome home. Under the auspices of the Orange Lodge a banquet was tendered him in the town hall, at which addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Hall, Rev. Mr. Hicks, Mr. Wm. Hall, Mr. Wm. Bell, Mr. Wm. Hall, Mr. Wm. Bell, Mr. Wm. Hall, Mr. Wm. Bell

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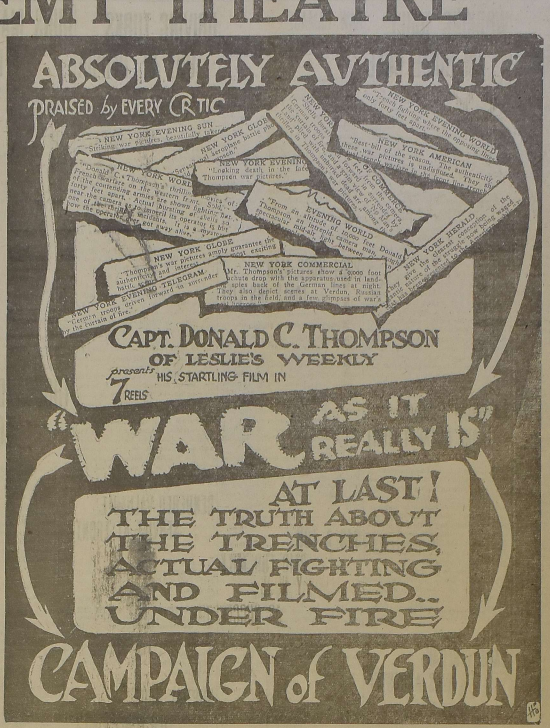

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BLUEBEARD OF LITTLE BELGIUM

(Montreal Standard)

The opening scene is laid in the early days of terror in Belgium, when von Blasing, the licentious and bloody German Governor, revelling in the newfound power and the opportunities for indulging to the full his vitiated tastes for licentiousness, cruelty and greed, seized every possible opportunity to ride in State through the streets of Antwerp, where he was then quartered.

His ignoble mind delighted in the homage paid to him by the soldiery and the terror he inspired in the ordinary populace. He never went out unaccompanied; not even on those mysterious nocturnal missions into the highways and byways when some poor woman or girl was to be ruined. He was too great a coward. Invariably he had a strong bodyguard, and a number of troopers, fierce-looking brutes, resplendent in the Hun uniform, rode ahead of his charger, scattering the crowds to right and left, riding down or felling with their swords any one who dared get in the Bluebeard's way.

On one occasion, a short time after I had had an audience with him, von Blasing was riding, proud as the proverbial peacock, through the residential quarter of the city, received with the homage of a King. The business I had had to transact with him was of the most confidential and important nature, and required some delicate negotiations on the part of both of us.

For this reason Von Blasing had during the previous three or four days, in the course of which I was constantly in his company, kept reasonably sober, and had, to the best of my belief, refrained from those orgies which subsequently made him a moral, mental, and physical wreck. At that time the cocaine habit had not gripped him.

But when the business had been completed, and the necessary documents signed, Von Blasing felt that his virtuous period had lasted long enough and decided that it was time a fresh victim fell into his toils.

Thus on the occasion referred to, he was "out to conquer." Riding slowly along, he saw through the window of a house a victim of loveliness putting the finishing touches to her toilet.

The gleam of a white shoulder caught his eye, and for a fraction of time he gazed on a beautiful model of arm rounding and tresses of silky black on to a small, shapely head.

Von Blasing gripped his reins tighter, as, in one quick, compre hensive glance, he took in the delicate rose-bud lips, the dimple in the perfectly formed cheek, and the aristocratic, sapphire nose, which to him conveyed evidence of birth and breeding.

I witnessed the whole of the incident. It occupied less than two minutes. Then the lady chanced to look down into the street in which stood the horses in this part of the city are very low built), and saw the contrast between a blaze of shining steel and blazes of horror covered her face. To lower the blind was the work of a second.

But the mischief had been done. Von Blasing had seen; seeing, he coveted, and, coveting, he determined to possess.

His position in Belgium as regards women at this time was unique. He might be likened to a Sultan ruling over a harem, except that the women from whom he could pick and choose, by cruelties too horrible to be uttered against a Sultan's dread.

As the blind was drawn my heart bled for the fair lady beneath the creature upon whom Von Blasing's love or lust was centred to be the defilement of him, after many years of unutterance, to believe that he would ever be strong enough to get her into his clutches.

I had met and spoken with the lady several times. She was as charming as she was beautiful. The wife of a rich and leading citizen of Antwerp, she was also notable for well-doing for charity, and was beloved by all who knew her.

In order to save any pain, I will simply call her Madame Theresa.

When I got further into the details of the horrible episode I am led to the conclusion that Madame Theresa became she knew she was beautiful, because she knew Von Blasing's evil character, and because of the one night I have referred, was terror-stricken, and for a short time afterwards kept to her house out of the Bluebeard's sight.

Powerful as he was, evil Blasing could find no excuse for visiting either the lady or her husband openly even if we mention had such been his purpose. Nevertheless the desire to possess her burned with every heart.

Then to his mind there formed a plan as diabolical as something of which the brain could produce. His cunning brain took a fiendish delight in working out various details until they were perfect.

Sending for the many clever spies by whom he always surrounded, one was selected for the role how a document he had prepared, and carefully explained to him the situation as better or more likely to be employment of Madame Theresa's husband, and seize the first opportunity to secrete the document in a cabinet. The cabinet apparently belonged to Madame Theresa's husband, but was in reality the property of Von Blasing, and was placed there by him for the purpose of enabling him to search the house of Madame Theresa's husband without exciting suspicion.

The spy carried out his instructions to the letter, and Von Blasing, with a number of troopers, visited the house of Madame Theresa's husband, and, after searching the house, found the document in the cabinet. The husband was arrested, and Von Blasing ordered that he be executed next morning.

Madame Theresa was informed of the fact, and was told that her husband's life would be spared if she would consent to become the mistress of Von Blasing.

The Bluebeard acted instantly. He ordered a search to be made for a party of soldiers. The incriminating document was found. Madame Theresa was told, and Von Blasing ordered that her husband be shot at dawn the following morning.

At five hours after the mockery of a trial had ended and the dread sentence had been passed, a beautiful, agonized woman craved audience of Von Blasing's servants, and begged that she might see the Governor.

The woman's entry into Von Blasing's private room was the moment for which he had waited since he saw her finishing her toilet at the window. It is not difficult for me, at any rate, to picture the scene that took place in the scene of his pleading over her tears, forcing her to grovel at his feet, threaten her with death, and then to appeal to her pity.

Von Blasing paced up and down in a fever of excitement. His sin-steeped soul craved for nothing else in the world at the moment as it craved for this woman. The minutes seemed to drag by.

But at length the two fateful hours elapsed. Von Blasing struck a bell on his writing-table, and, his hands trembling a little in anticipation of the love-feast he expected shortly to enjoy, he ordered the guard who appeared to acquaint Madame Theresa that her period of grace had expired.

The door of the room in which the interview had taken place was opened. A curt order fell from the lips of the guard. There was no reply.

Hearing the ensuing commotion, Von Blasing sprang angrily forward, a cold fear clutching at his heart. He looked into the room.

Clasped lovingly in death on the floor of the apartment lay the man he had sought to dishonor. On the table was an empty laudanum bottle, her head escaped from the toils of Von Blasing by taking steps own freedom. The monster's prey had slipped through his fingers at the eleventh hour!

On the other side of the table lay a letter written by the heroic wife, it was addressed to Von Blasing. Opening it, he found that prior to ensuring that small borderland which divides life from death the unfortunate woman he had sent to her doom had, in the name of the women of Belgium, laid upon him a fearful curse.

Von Blasing handed the letter to one of his officers who was present. "I won't repeat the words in that letter," said the officer to me afterwards, "but they sent a cold shiver up my spine. I am not a superstitious man, but I thanked my stars that I was not in Von Blasing's shoes."

"And how did Von Blasing take it?" I asked.

"For a moment his face turned grey under its tan, then, folding up the note, he walked into his own room, dipped the letter into the fire, and coolly used it to light a fresh cigar."

But that was mere bravado. Von Blasing has never forgot that curse. And my word may be taken that it is the memory of it which is causing the Bluebeard of Belgium to toss in such awful torture on his sick bed.

DEAD AVIATOR KNOWN HERE

Mrs. Robert Wallace, Bellevelle, received a Government cable that her son, Lieut. R. D. Wallace, had been killed in an aeroplane accident Tuesday. The message came from the School of Aeronautics, Oxford, England.

Lieut. Ernest D. Wallace enlisted with the First Contingent and went to England with the 2nd Battalion. For a time he remained in England and then went overseas with a machine gun battery. Latterly he had gone in for aeronautics and attended an aviation school in England.

At one time he was collector for the Bell Telephone Company at Bellevile and later became Inspector. From Bellevelle he was removed to Port Hope, where he remained for three years. As the time of enlistment he was local manager at Port Perry, and a captain in the 34th regiment.

Mr. T. J. Tilly, local manager of the Bell Telephone Company, was well acquainted with the deceased,

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DID NOT WANT OUR WAR LOAN

(From Monday's Daily.)

The Canadian bond houses have received a number of American subscriptions to our third war loan, from as far west as San Francisco, and as far south as New Orleans, says the Monetary Times. Many hundreds of small investors in the United States have patronized the loan, as well as a number of important financial institutions. There are, however, a few investors there who not only have no interest in Canadian war loans, but exhibit a rampant antipathy to those securities. One of the Toronto bond houses, which has important connections in the United States, has received some amusing comments from several of the unsympathetic people.

SARCASTIC RESPONSES

One of the circulars sent out by the bond houses included a form in which subscriptions were asked us to the names of possible subscribers to the loan. One of these forms was returned and suggested the name of "King George, J. P. Morgan, Schwab, President Wilson and Senator Lodge, the addresses of all being given as "London, America." Another suggested the Kaiser, General Von Hindenburg, Count Von Bernstorff, and Dr. Bethmann Hollweg.

The Farmers' Exchange Bank, of Ashton, Wis., sends across a subscription form, "If you have any good German bonds for sale, we are interested," evidently forgetting that good German bonds are unknown.

A man who has not kept in touch with the spend financing carried on by Canada, namely, Joseph Hasp man, address not given, wrote "Gentlemen, I am sorry I have to disappoint you. Before you get through you will be insolvent making loans. Yours truly." A Chicago man went one better, suggesting that "your country is bankrupt now. Any one who buys these bonds never will get a dollar back. Make your north country take these bonds."

On the loaded notepaper of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Greenwood, Wis., came the following letter: "In reply to your letter of the 26th, will say I am glad to hear that Canadian people, more, are economical and investors are arranging to take the bottom of the new Canadian war loan, and I trust that they will be able to take the whole amount, as we are not interested in your dirty loans." This is signed by L. E. Bopp, cashier.

FROM A PACIFIST

A correspondent less harsh and more pacific in sentiment scribbled across a subscription form "American people should not buy war bonds."

In opposition to the critics, comments the Canadian bond houses have received numerous letters of an entirely different nature. A Boston man wrote: "I am not looking for any new investment at the present time, but I am anxious to see this loan an unqualified success, and you may enter my order for $25,000 par value of the bonds."

IS CONSERVED FOR TRENT WATER POWER

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Peterboro Examiner: It was surprise many citizens to know that approximately 109 inches of snow fell during the past winter, and that the average fall for a number of recent years was practically 90 inches. These figures were casually quoted by a gentleman in the Trent Canal office, where records of snow and rain precipitation are compiled in connection with the conservation of the water in the Trent system. Ten inches of snow are regarded as equivalent to one inch of water, hence the past winter's record of 109 inches of snow fall is considered by officials of the engineering department of the canal a working out of those approximate figures can estimate the number of cubic feet of water the Trent watershed will produce, and from a certain knowledge through evaporation and seepage, and when this quantity is subtracted the department has a fairly close estimate of the amount of water produced by the winter's snow.

The spring rain fall is added, providing a total of the water held in the canal reservoirs. Briefly, therefore, the quantity and the location of the water is known, and can be accurately and easily controlled in its outpouring. The water supply for the power plants on the rivers in the system can usually be maintained at a normal flow instead of the natural method of former years, when the river would rage in spring and reach its minimum volume in late summer. This control of the water is the goal of the conservation system, the elaboration of which was prevented by the war. It has, however, been well advanced, and when complete will be an extremely valuable asset not only to the Central Ontario district, but practically to the entire Province.

OPEN THE PRISONS OF DOMINION

Saskatoon, March 26.—Statements made by Solicitor-General Meighen to local Conservatives during his visit here Saturday has given rise to the report that the release of a large number of prisoners from Canadian prisons may be expected this summer for use as laborers and also for overseas service.

It is understood that he is visiting prisons throughout the country interviewing the wardens as to the conditions in each institution and as to their opinions on the feasibility of such plans.

Some folks are born great, but the fellow who makes us his mind that he is one of these is usually a dismal failure.

WEEKLY BUDGET FROM BOBCAYGEON

Bobcaygeon, March 27.—Mr. Alex. Trotter, who has spent the winter in Toronto visiting his children, has returned. Mrs. Thompson accompanied him.

Miss Mildred Murphy, who has been visiting her aunt at Latchford, is again home.

The coming of mild weather has produced a fine new crop of coughs and colds.

More signs of spring, water everywhere hobnobbing with snow, producing slush, blackbirds, robins, singing grey birds, voters taking Sunday afternoon walks on the railway, and last but not least, the editor of the Independent in the last edition made a pun.

The Woman's Institute gave a pie social in Woodard's hall on Friday evening. There were all kinds of games, a few musical selections, and pies—the pies—the pies. Big pies, little pies, thin pies, all shapes, colors and complexions, and all toothsome. We always say the good home wives of this burg couldn't be beaten as cooks, and no sooner was a pie put up for sale than the bids flew fast and furious, the auctioneer was bombarded as though with a machine gun, and before we knew what had happened, we found ourselves paying $1.75 for the delicacy. The auctioneer pocketed a ten dollar note pie, and yet so skilfully were they conducted, so cunningly compounded and appetizingly baked, that even the dyspeptics were not a whit the worse next day.

Last Sunday evening, the faithful collector who passes the plate in a certain church here, was a trifle late for service, in fact the last hymn was being sung when he arrived, his Watch Inspector, no doubt, at fault. However, he thought it was the hymn before sermon, and at its close, marched down the aisle to get the plate to lift the collection, when to his amazement he found the offering had already been taken up, and that even the preacher pronounced the benediction. His exit was sudden, covered with shame as with a garment.

LINDSAY NURSE AS SUCCESSOR

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Peterboro Examiner Miss Una B. Kennedy, public health nurse, has been notified to report at once at Kingston for overseas service. About the first of the year Miss Kennedy offered to the Government for nursing work. It is understood that the Board of Education is agreeing to fill Miss Kennedy's place as soon as possible. As school nurse in Peterboro she has been responsible for much work, and is fortunate that the Board's first venture in this modern idea of caring for the health of school children is to have the services of so capable a nurse of Miss Kennedy's industry, tact and ability. A Lindsay nurse is under consideration as her successor.

POOR BUSINESS TO PLANT POTATO PEELINGS

Planting one's potato peelings, and eating the major portion of the crop may have the charm of economy, but it's poor business, according to Mr. W. W. Schaffer, Dominion Horticulturist, whose opinion was sought on the advice of a Michigan agricultural expert. Dr. Schaffer also asserted that it was extravagant to plant the whole potato has been widely published.

"To raise the kingly potato cheaply and profitably," said Dr. Schaffer, one should cut the seed into pieces of approximating eyes, from the lordly vegetables, and not waste whole potatoes, slicing them in great pieces for seeding purposes. By merely cutting small eye-pieces, only one-fourth of a potato possibly one-third, need be used. And in these days when potatoes are being accepted for movie theatre admission, that's some saving."

"The whole secret work is just the right combination with a generous dash of rain and the proper soil," declared Mr. Macoun, "but under ordinary conditions it is taking too much of a chance."

"In case adverse conditions when the proper selection of potatoes are planted as is the popular custom, the eye draws strength and moisture from the adhering flesh of the potato, which if the eye were cut out with only a little flesh it might cry up before the crop planted is started.

"In the best of seasons you might get a fair crop, but I wouldn't advise any one to do it."

NEW INDIAN LIST WILL BE THOROUGH

Toronto, March 26—The "Indian list," which is to be re-established according to Ontario Temperance Act amendments introduced in the Legislature, by Hon. W. D. McPherson, provides machinery for preventing those from having liquor in their homes or anywhere else if the wife or other relative applies for an order. The old plan has been revived with changes to meet the altered conditions. The section provides that an order interdicting a man may be issued either by a magistrate or an inspector upon the proper application. Copies of the order are then sent to express companies, carters, etc., who deliver liquor, and penalties are provided for persons who give drinks to "Indian listers." Where liquor intended for a man on the list is received by an express company, the act provides that it shall be seized by a local inspector, who may confiscate it.

In order to assist the department in running down illegal selling by blind piggers and bob-tailers, the act requires all express companies to keep a separate record of all liquor landed and place it at the disposal of the officials of the department. The information will, of course, be treated as confidential.

MR. ARMSTRONG GETS HIS HORSE

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

About a week ago a young man left the horse at Armstrong's livery in Lindsay and failed to return. Citizens giving the description of the man and the outfit were immediately sent out.

On Saturday afternoon Constable McAuley found a horse and rig that during aimlessly along John street, and seeing that it tallied with the description of the Lindsay one, he took it in charge. Mr. Armstrong was communicated with, and came down from Lindsay Monday and identified it as his property. It is learned that two men were seen at the station late Friday night, and it is expected that they tied the horse near the freight shed and took the midnight train east.

PTE. LABRECQUE REPORTED KILLED

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

On November 22nd last it was reported that Pte. J. A. Labrecque was believed to have been killed. Today it is stated that he was killed on that date. He resided at 37 Emerdale road, and was born at Fenelon Falls, Ont. Before enlisting he was employed as a brakeman on the Canadian Northern Railway. He has a sister in Superior, Wis., and one in St. Catharines. His father lives in Toronto.

Death produces the only real peace.

"Dress Up"

The time has come to get ready for Spring.

New Suits
Overcoats
Shirts
Hats and Caps
Neckwear
Gloves

Up to Date Styles
Moderate Prices

This is a man's store—little men and big men, boys and big brothers grown ups and their fathers.

ED. C. ARMSTRONG

The Men's Wear Store

PROVINCIAL ELECTION IS RUMORED

Ottawa, March 26.—Persistent rumors are in circulation at Ottawa to the effect that Premier Hearst contemplates a dissolution of the Ontario Legislature and a general election at an early date. It is stated that the Ontario Premier desires to make his appeal to the electors before a Federal election is held, believing that should he delay, and the Government here is defeated, the chances of his own Administration at the polls would be seriously impaired. On the other hand the Federal Government would welcome the moral effect of a Provincial Government victory in Ontario before it itself goes to the polls. It believes that the popular legislation enacted by the Hearst Government will carry it to victory.

FISH SMOTHERED AT BALSAM LAKE

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Peterboro Review:—Thousands of carp and other fish in the waters of Balsam Lake district have been smothered to death this winter, according to word received from the northern waters. Unusual ice conditions prevented the fish from getting air.

Butternut Creek, which is open during the winter, was the scene of a slaughter by the fish if their quest for zoom for large numbers of them have been lost.

FORMER LINDSAY BOY WOUNDED

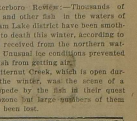
(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Pte. W. W. Howard, 44 Leslie street, Toronto, is reported to have been severely wounded by shrapnel in the left shoulder. He is 21 years of age, a native of Lindsay, Ont., and had been in Toronto about twelve years before enlisting. He has been overseas since September last. He was formerly a teamster.

As a boy Pte. Howard was troubled with a club foot, but this defect was remedied at the Hospital for Sick Children, and was able to serve his country at the front. While on active service his foot again troubled him, however, and he was sent back to the base. The telegram reporting his wound is the first notification his mother received that her son was back on the firing line.

The Army of Constipation

Is Growing Smaller Every Day, CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are responsible—they are only give relief— they permanently Cure Constipation. Millions use them for Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Sallow Skin. Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price.



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Mrs. Timothy Bowes, Blissfield, N. B., writes:—"I have always used Baby's Own Tablets for my three children and I can speak highly of them as I could not get along without them. Baby's Own Tablets are the only medicine I would use for my children." The Tablets cure all the minor ills of little ones and the mother who always keeps a box of them in the house may feel reasonably safe against the consequences of sudden attacks of illness. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Lindsay Horse Fair

will be held in Lindsay

Thursday, Mar. 29th

and afterwards the last Thursday of each month.

There will be

AT LEAST 50 BUYERS

from all over the province to buy

All Classes of Horses and best prices given

Bring in your Horses without fail on that day.

Seed Oats

Large quantity of very choice "Abundance" Seed Oats---grown in sunny Alberta---weigh up to 50 lbs. per bushel. Price 90c per bushel.

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Get our prices before booking your order for Seed Corn

Good assortment different varieties, Germination as high as 98 per cent.

We guarantee every bushel and will be here next summer to stand behind our guarantee.

Don't pay ridiculous prices when you can get the highest quality and save money by buying at home.

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Spring Sale This Week
HERE ARE A FEW SPECIALS
$1.25 WORTH FOR $1.00
6 cakes Comfort Soap
6 boxes Matches
3 cakes Palm Olive Soap
And any other 25c Drug or Toilet Article, all for 1.00
We also sell your attention to our large 5c SCRIBBLERS and WRITING TABLETS. These are extra value. We have a large assortment of WATER COLOR BOXES, WARE FRUIT SETS, at very reduced prices. See the display of these goods before you buy elsewhere.
GLASS TUMBLERS 3 for 10th.
LARGE FLOWER VASES 15c
SEEDS, SEEDS, 5000 pkgs. Flower and Garden Seeds. Pick them from the racks like post cards, or by each one. Also a full stock in Bulb Seeds for the garden. If you are a Subscriber to Peoples Home Journal and Pictorial Review, call and do developing and printing on short notice.
P.S.—All spectacle repairs promptly executed. Broken lens replaced on shortest notice.
R. L. Morgan

LINDEN VALLEY

(Special to The Post.)

The Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Hancock on Thursday, April 5th. Everybody welcome.

Mr. Ernest Anglwin of Ottawa arrived at Mr. E. H. Hancock's on Tuesday last and will spend the summer months with Mr. Hancock.

VICTORIA ROAD

(Special to The Post.)

A number from here attended the sales of Mr. Robt. McNish, on the 22nd inst of Mr. Jas. Hall, on the 23rd inst and Mr. Black has sold his farm to Mr. R. Hicks of Harcastle, and has bought a farm near Peterboro, to which he and his wife remove this week.

Miss May Sullivan has taken a position in Buffalo.

Mrs. Jake Lowes and little son, of Omemee, were the guests of her brother, Mr. Edward Lytle, for a couple of days last week.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. H. H. Davy is quite ill again.

Owing to the bad roads and storms Rev. Mr. Burns, of Lindsay, has not been soon. The sap is running.

service in St. Thomas' church for the past three weeks.

All indications of spring are here. Crows are abundant, robins have been seen. The ice is nearly gone.

A heavy thunderstorm visited this locality on the 23rd of March.

'MINER'S BAY

(Special to the Post.)

Mr. W. Hounsell attended the sale at Mrd Black's, of Bexley, last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Cameron spent a couple of days with his daughter, Mrs. J. Goslin, of Head Lake.

Mr. Joseph Hatten has sold his mill and gone to take up a situation at Toronto.

Mr. Wm. Porter and son Harold, of Dalgeish, spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Porter.

Miss Ethel Valentine, of Lindsay, spent a few days with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Eason, of Deep Bay, passed through here on the last week on their way to Watson Siding.

Mr. S. Otto is on the sick list.

Sugar making is the order of the day.

KIRKFIELD

(Special to The Post.)

Mr. Reggie Cookman, of Sonya, visited friends in town last week.

The young people of town enjoyed their last skate of the season at the rink on Saturday night.

Owing to the condition of the roads the rural mail men have been unable to make their daily trips.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Vassar, of Winnipeg, and Mr. and Mrs. Sangster and children, of Buffalo, N. Y., are visiting their mother, Mrs. A. Fraser, who has been ill, but we are pleased to hope urbat she is improving.

Mrs. Ted Valiard, assisted by Miss Taylor, of Washington, is holding her annual millinery opening in town this week.

Miss G. Mackey spent Monday in Woodville.

HE KNEW

This happened before January 1st, when Washington went "dry." A motorcyclist in Seattle, while passing the Butler Hotel, fell off just as he was alighting. As he was picking himself up, a man standing near said, "Shay, why don't you try an autoe? There's easier to balance"

OAKWOOD

(Special to The Post.)

The many friends of Lt.-Corp. Dave Harcus are sorry to see his name among the list of wounded. Mr. Harcus spent some time in our midst with his uncle, Mr. D. Harcus, and relation in Toronto.

Miss Ethelwyn Dix, the assistant teacher, has recovered sufficiently to be able to again take charge of her school.

Mrs. J. H. Weldon has been quite ill during the week, but we are glad to say is recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brass left on Tuesday morning for Lindsay. They will commence their duties at the House of Refuge on April 1st.

Master Irwin Deyman is enjoying a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Irwin, of Cambray.

Mrs. A. F. Sanderson of Peterboro spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. G. Weldon this week.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. H. G. Lytle on Wednesday afternoon, April 4th, at 3 p.m. A good paper, and a full programme, after which refreshments will be served, and a fee of 10c charged. A cordial invitation is extended to all members and other ladies interested to attend.

Owing to the bad condition of the roads and the spring rains the rural mail carriers were unable to make their fall trips on Monday and Tuesday of this week.

The collection at the church services on Sunday last was small, owing to bad roads. At the morning service Mrs. Lytle rendered in a pleasing manner the solo, "The song I heard in heaven," very acceptably.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid for March will be held on Wednesday afternoon of this week in the parlor of the church. A large attendance is requested.

Mr. Will O. King moved on to the farm recently vacated by Mr. Fred Brass, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stevens, of Sonya, spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. N. J. Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Hicks, of Victoria, were guests of his cousin, Mr. E. B. Hicks, for a few days during the past week.

Mr. Wilmot F. Webster was called to Little Britain on Sunday evening, owing to the death of his aunt, Mrs. Pinkham. The funeral took place on Tuesday.

Drs. Rich and Blanchard, of Lindsay, were called to the home of Mr. Thomas Nowry, who still continues very ill.

On Thursday Mr. J. F. Brass disposed of his valuable stock of implements, farm stock, etc. The day being fine, the sale was largely attended, people from all parts of the township being present. The popular auctioneer, Mr. Peter Hawkins, of Reaboro, presided the hammer and deserves great credit for disposing of the stock, etc., which was unusually large, and prices realized were very satisfactory.

We are pleased to hear that Mrs. Fred Wilson, who has been seriously ill, is now recovering. Her sister, Mrs. E. Lockwood, of Toronto, is with her at present.

BOBCAYGEON

(Special to The Post.)

At the weekly meeting of the Soldiers' Aid Society on Monday most encouraging reports were received from the ladies in charge of the various, and a total of $2650 was reported, exclusive of the grant of $400 made by the village council. Almost every one realized their obligation to the boys at the front and gave freely and willingly. The collectors reported that their work had been much easier for them, and that they had been received courteously. A few did not approve of voluntary contributions. They would prefer to make a tax on property, and yet did not even come across with the amount a five will assess on their property would be, but resulted in, but the village feels better and can now face the boys when they return with the knowledge that if they didn't fight they paid.

A letter was read from Miss Agnes Woollard, now taking a course of massage treatment in the convalescent home at Whitby. She writes: "We have had terrible times here of late, very few with two legs, and heaps with broken arms and legs, some with paralyzed limbs, and others shaking from shell shock. It is heartrending to see some of them are. You will see one with no legs on a comrade's back and in passing the legless boy will stop and say 'Hello, I'll be in the cavalry.'" The Y. M. C. A. is doing a great work in keeping the wounded from brooding and I am wondering if anything could be done to send games, books and magazines. We went down to the train the other morning, when misery came in, a lot of three stretcher cases, and many without legs and arms. We helped, but they are brave fellows and unless absolutely necessary would not accept assistance. They find the days long and are lonely.

The fire alarm rang Monday night about eight o'clock. A small fire had started in Beck's mill in some dry wood near the engine. The fire was soon extinguished.

IMPURE BLOOD IN THE SPRING

The Passing of Winter Leaves People Weak and Depressed.

As winter passes away it leaves many people feeling weak, depressed and easily tired. The body lacks that vital force and energy which pure blood alone can give.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are an all-year-round blood builder and nerve tonic, but they are especially useful in the spring. Every dose helps to make new, rich blood, restoring strength to the whole system, their use and the vigor and cheerfulness of good health quickly follows.

There is just one cure for lack of blood and that is more blood. Food is the material from which blood is made but Dr. Williams' Pink Pills double the value of the food we eat. They give strength, tone up the stomach and weak digestion, clear the complexion of pimples, eruptions and boils, and drive out rheumatic poisons.

If you are pale and sallow, if you feel continually tired out, if you have a poor appetite, if you have headaches or backaches, if you are irritable and worry over small matters, if your appetite fails and food does not nourish nor sleep refresh you, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will make you well and strong. To build up the blood is the special purpose of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and that is why they are the best spring medicine. If you feel the need of a tonic at this season give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial, and you will rejoice in new health, new strength and new energy. Ward off the tiring weather of summer, find you weak and ailing. Build yourself up now with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills —the pills that strengthen.

Ask for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and do not be persuaded to take something else. If your dealer does not keep these Pills they will be sent by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

LITTLE BRITAIN

(Special to The Post.)

Corp. John Griggs, of Lindsay, spent the week end with friends in the village.

Mr. William Martin spent a day in Toronto last week.

A large number from this vicinity attended Mr. J. F. Brass's sale of stock, implements, etc., at Oakwood last Thursday.

Sawing wood is the order of the day in our busy little village.

Mr. Lorenzo Davidson has purchased a fine new Gray-Dort touring car from Mr. F. C. McMaster of Lindsay.

Mrs. J. J. Glass, of Lindsay, spent a few days with friends here last week.

Miss Bidcher Dix is teaching school at Oakwood during the illness of the latter's mother, Mrs. Miss Ethelwyn.

Mrs. George Wall and Miss Ruby, of Toronto, visited her brother, Dr. G. W. Hall, last week.

Rev. R. Morton returned home last Saturday, after spending three weeks at Markham and Keswick conducting revival meetings.

Mr. Thomas Woolridge of Linden Valley visited friends here last Friday.

Thank offering services will be held in the Methodist church a week from Sunday.

The Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Wilson on last Wednesday at the usual hour. The Red Cross work is still being continued.

Mr. W. G. Deshane, our enterprising painter and paper hanger, has now got ready to paper and paint in the Saturday and Sunday our village was visited by a flood of water owing to the Methodist church creek. This is the first time a flood has occurred here for over six years.

The death of Miss Jane Pinkham occurred in our village on Sunday afternoon at the age of 42 years and 3 months, following a lingering and serious illness. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, owing to the Methodist church cemetery for interment. We extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved.

Don't forget the annual Easter supper and play entitled "The Minister's Wife's New Bonnet," at the Christian church on Good Friday. For particulars see posters.

OF INTEREST TO URBAN POULTRY KEEPERS

The present year will see a great increase in the number of urban poultry keepers. The almost prohibitive prices of eggs and poultry during the last few months have caused many citizens to seriously consider the home production of these very necessary and useful commodities. It is important also that any efforts put forth in this direction result satisfactorily and that all who embark themselves in attempting to rear chickens successfully on a small city lot. Experience has shown that the best way for urban poultry keepers to enter the poultry business is by the purchase of pullets in the fall. Well-matured pullets are the most reliable winter egg producers and if well cared for will not only produce plenty of fresh eggs for the breakfast table, but also return a reasonable profit on the expenditure entailed.

PLAN PROPOSED

Ordinarily, well matured pullets are rather scarce and difficult to obtain in the fall of the year. It is because of this scarcity that the matter was taken up systematically by poultry Associations that the difficulty could be overcome, and additionally as a means of increasing interest in the poultry industry. Practically every Poultry Club in the province is a poultry Association. It is suggested that each Association give some publicity to the matter of the purchase of matured pullets for profitable winter egg production and advertise the fact that such pullets can be obtained. As a means of increasing interest in the poultry industry Associations might offer prizes for the best pullets in the fall. It could be announced that orders would be taken during the fall months and the first part of May. All those desiring pullets in this way could be required to join the Association and make a small deposit covering the number required.

The Association could then look after the arrangements as might be necessary with nearby Co-operative Associations, Clubs and Societies for the growing of the pullets, a minimum price to be decided upon for pullets of different ages and sizes. In the fall these could be assembled at some central depot in each locality and distributed, which could be done to permit of the proper housing of the stock in permanent winter quarters before the severe weather set in, say by the last of October.

FEDERAL ASSISTANCE

In order that greater effectiveness may be given to this proposal, the Dominion Live Stock Branch is prepared to extend, to all Associations desiring to carry out these provisions, the same assistance that is given to Associations desiring to purchase pure-bred sires or pure-bred Dorsets, namely the payment of reasonable travelling expenses, during the time required to conclude the purchase and transport the stock to destination, of representatives of Associations, in any section of Canada, desiring to purchase pullets in lots of not less than fifty. Application to the Live Stock Commissioner will also nominate a suitable person who will be placed at the consignor's disposal, if desirable and assist him as far as possible in the selection and shipping of the pullets.

In the general interests of the poultry industry throughout the Dominion and the interest need this year for the production of more eggs and more poultry and the releasing thereby of a large surplus for export to Great Britain, it is hoped that as many Associations as possible will take advantage of this proposition. All Associations desiring to take advantage of this direction are requested to write the Live Stock Commissioner at Ottawa, at once for further advice and instruction in the matter.

CANADA'S FARM LANDS INCREASED IN VALUE

(From Monday's Daily.)

A bulletin issued last week by the Census and Statistics Office at Ottawa, dealing with the value of agricultural land, of farm help and of farm live stock in 1910, as returned by each province and by Canada as a whole, is very interesting. The report says that for the whole of Canada the average value of farm land, exclusive of buildings, improvements, and including the value of fences, was approximately $41 per acre. The average value by Provinces are as follows: Prince Edward Island $40; Nova Scotia, $32.6; New Brunswick, $25.4; Quebec, $42; Ontario, $52.5; Manitoba, $32; Saskatchewan and Alberta, $22; British Columbia, $118.5. In the last named Province the higher average is due to orchard land, of farm help and of farm live stock in 1910, as returned by each province and by Canada as a whole, is very interesting. The report says that for the whole of Canada the average value of farm land, exclusive of buildings, improvements, and including the value of fences, was approximately $41 per acre. The average value by Provinces are as follows: Prince Edward Island $40; Nova Scotia, $32.6; New Brunswick, $25.4; Quebec, $42; Ontario, $52.5; Manitoba, $32; Saskatchewan and Alberta, $22; British Columbia, $118.5. In the last named Province the higher average is due to orchard ing and fruit growing.

AVERAGE WAGES OF FARM HELP

The average wages paid for farm help during 1916 have reached a higher level than in any previous year for which returns have been collected. For the whole of the Dominion the wages per month during the summer, including board, averaged $43.23 for male and $22.46 for female help as compared with $37.10 and $19.36 in 1915. For the year 1916, including board, the wages averaged $297 for males and $228 for females, as compared with $261 and $200 in 1915. The average value of board per month is returned as $17 for male and $12 for female help, the corresponding figures of 1915 being $17.25 and $11.45. By Provinces the average wages per month for males and females respectively in the summer season, including board, are as follows: Prince Edward Island, $21.33 and $17.81; Nova Scotia, $26.77 and $19.11; New Brunswick, $25.74 and $16.66; Quebec, $46.79 and $18.76; Ontario, $39.37 and $20.07; Manitoba, $45.50 and $25.06; Alberta, $55.28 and $29.12; British Columbia, $49.86 and $23.86.

VALUES OF LIVE STOCK AND OF WOOL.

The average value of horses in Canada is about the same as a year ago, but milch cows, other cattle, sheep and swine show a substantial increase and return values that are higher than in any year since these records began to be collected in 1905. Horses three years old and over average $148 against $146 in 1916, and $109 in 1915, milch cows are $70 as compared with $62, cattle between 2 and 3 years $48 against $43, cattle between 1 and 2 years $34 against $30, sheep average $10.48 against $7.80, and swine $13.48 per head against $11.40 and $8.58 as against $8.58. The average value of wool obtains a record of 37 cents per pound for unwashed fleece and 52 per pound for washed wool. During the summer of 1916 the number of live stock on farms in Canada was as follows:

Horses, 3,268,000 as against 3,206,000, and sheep, 2,030,000 as against 2,225,000, and swine, 3,954,000 as against 4,342,000.

Cattle, 8,586,000 as against 8,588,000

OAKWOOD

(Special to The Post.)

At the sale of Mr. Brass on Thursday last of farm stock and implements, good prices were realized. It was a fine day, a very large crowd was in attendance.

The snow is fast disappearing but some of the roads are in very bad shape in some places. Ere long we will hear the "honk honk" of the automobiles as they pass back and forth on our roads.

Our local agents for the Briscoe car are Messrs. Cole and Rodman, who sold several in this vicinity. We hope to speak for them a share of the public patronage.

We hear that Miss Violet Ware, late of this vicinity, having taken a course in Shaw's Central Business College, Toronto, has accepted a position as stypist and bookkeeper in the large wholesale firm of P. W. Ellis, manf. Jewellers, Toronto.

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DAINTY DRESS ACCESSORIES

Everything is approaching and you will need some of these pretty little dress accompaniments to brighten your attire. All the newest neckwear, gloves, hosiery, handkerchiefs, veils, umbrellas and dainty lingerie are now ready for your selection. We show these in all the very latest effects and we are justly proud of our handsome showing. Prepare for the holiday and make your choice from among these splendid assortments.

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Because of their smart snappy style. We show them in serges, worsteds, tweeds, gabardines, poplins, silks etc. Some very excellent New York models among them. We show them in all the latest shades including the bright new tints for Spring. If you want a suit that you will be proud to wear, see our showing. Prices $20.00 to $50.00.

NEW SUITINGS AND DRESS FABRICS

We have always taken pride in the quality of our suitings and dress fabrics. We are now showing some wonderful values in serges, tweeds, worsteds. New cloth, broadcloths, Crepe de Chines, ninzines, bengalines, poplins, fine Cord Velvets, etc. It is no trouble to select a suit or dress length here from among these mammoth assortments. We show them from 50c yard up to $3.

TO BE SEEN IN OUR MILLINERY PARLORS

In the Spring a woman's fancy naturally turns to an Easter hat. And what a gorgeous showing we now have. The very latest exclusive New York models that delight the eye and satisfy one's fancy. On account of their style and becomingness. Visit our show rooms and see our splendid showing. We want you to see these whether you wish to buy or not.

Men s and Young Men's Spring 'Chesterfields' and 'Slip on' Top Coats

Men's Chesterfields, made of plain Black or Oxford Grey Cheviots, finished materials, with serviceable body linings throughout, are Men's single breasted, fly front style Chesterfield, with medium width notched lapels and straight flap pockets, sizes 34 to 46, exceptionally good value, $10.00 and $12.00.

In same style are Men's Chesterfields, made of Cheviot Vienna Cloths in Oxford and Cambridge Greys and Grey diagonal effects, $15.00 and $16.50.

Also in same style, are very dressy, refined looking Chesterfields, Cheviot and Worsted finished materials, in straight shades of dark and mid grey, sizes 34 to 42. Price, $20.00.

Swagger Slip on Spring Top Coats for Young Men

Young Men's Slip On Top Coats in plain and pinch back styles, with drop patch pockets, some have cuffs on sleeves, some are lined shoulders and sleeves, others lined throughout. They are made of light and dark tweeds in checks, stripes, pick and pick, brown and green mixtures, $12.00, $15.00 and $18.00.

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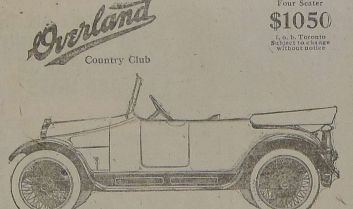

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The two comfortable front seats move forward or back, independently, and a spacious aisle between gives free passage to a roomy seat for two passengers in the rear.

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An unusual demand for this model makes it necessary to place orders at once to secure spring delivery.

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(Special to The Post.

Mr. Fred Taggart, of Port Hope made a business trip to town during the past week.

Mar. Thomas Ingram and daughter were visitors to Peterboro last week.

Mrs. George Adams, of Lindsay, was the guest of her brother, Mr. Howard Mulligan, the beginning of the week.

Mr. William Glass, of Bridgenorth is in town renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. J. Widdess was in Peterboro on business Saturday.

Mr. Roy Cornell, of Kinmount, operator on the G. T. R., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Cornell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fry and children, of Peterboro, spent the week end at the home of Mr and Mrs. F. McBane.

Mrs. L. Werry and daughter, of Fleetwood, visited at the home of the former's brother, Mr. Stanley Sinnett last week.

Mr. Hubert Gardner was the guest of friends at Port Perry during the past week.

Miss Middleton, of Lindsay, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Pogue last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mulligan and son spent the week end with Lindsay friends.

Miss Sarah Rea, of Toronto, is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. D. Rea.

Mr. Herb Hall, of L. ay, spent the week end in town.

Misses A. and L. Pe as entertained a number of their lady friends to an afternoon tea on Monday in honor of their cousin, Mrs. Schuit, of Peterboro, who is visiting at their home.

The Post's Want Advts. pay.—Try one.

ROBINS SINGING SPRING ROUNDELAY

Dwellers in the country see many signs of spring. In town, apart from better efforts of backyard crooning and cackling or a sudden warmth in the air, with water in the cellar, one sees great bigs of spring in the robin's return from abroad. This winter tourist noticed about Monday that it uncomfortable blew up from the gale regions. It felt uncomfortably warm, anywhere south of Ohio to one's feathered and as the wise robin sniffed it through his beak, he felt strange intimations of the northland, where once he was born and learned to fly. Of the impulse he spread his wings, and nodding before the roaring south, or was soon in Canada, the fountain of song broke out at once, and, behold, he was warbling up on a spruce with a soft, rich maple-syrupy voice and people excitedly pointing at him. It's the same old song from the same old bird. It asks a warm, and if the frozen sights still keep the various scents locked in slumber, Robin will contrive to live for a while on mere song or expectations. Probably in the distant past of the glacial period our friend already sang this selfsame roundelay at the fringes of the ice. But it is a note that breathes of spring, winter, melts ice and flatters worms, and flies till they lose their heads. For a hundred thousand years, or more years, perhaps, spring has come to this wihtite, cozy indeed, and with wild oating, but the lure is instinct in that swaying, slow, dancing, wooing cantabile. A thousand fold ripples of Dixie-land ripples for the millionth time over our North and in response there cometh forth out of the strong the expensive sweetness of the ancient maple.—London Advertiser.

PRESENTATION TO MR. AND MRS. BRASS

Oakwood, March 28.—On Friday evening last a farewell and social was held in the Methodist church, Oakwood. After a short but excellent program the following address was read by Mr. Harrison Gregory:

To Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brass:—

Dear Friends,—It is with deep regret that we learn of your contemplated removal from our midst. Your lives have been so interwoven into our church and community life that it is hard to see how we can do without you. But we, your fellow workers in the choir and Sunday school, your neighbors and friends, could not let you go from among us without trying at least to convey to you the sense of loss we sustain through your departure.

We recall your faithful work and wise counsel in the building of this church. You stood bravely with the workers through the toil and trial of those busy days, and we deeply regret that you are not permitted to continue to worship with us in the house of God, that you helped to erect.

In future meetings of the Quarterly Official and the Trustee Boards of this church your word and presence will be greatly missed. Your positions in the Sunday school have been of great importance, as Superintendent, teacher and organist, you, together, have borne your responsibilities with zeal and devotion. Sunday after Sunday you have been faithful at your post, and the Sunday school has grown and prospered under your wise leadership.

We remember also and greatly appreciate of your work among us. We ask you and Mrs. Brass to accept this purse, and Mrs. Brass, sr., this umbrella, trusting that what is our loss will be your gain and that you may still find even greater opportunities of service in the cause you love to well and at last may hear the "well done" of the Master.

Signed on behalf of the congregation,

J. U. ROBINS, PASTOR.
J. B. WELDON, Rec. Sec.

Mr. Brass replied in behalf of the ladies and thanked their friends for their tokens of appreciation.

PRESENTATION TO REV. McINNES

Omemee, March 28.—On Wednesday evening last a public reception was given to Pte. (Rev.) J. D. McInnes in the Coronation Hall.

Reeve Parsons occupied the chair and after the meeting had been opened by "The Maple Leaf Forever," the following address was read and presented by Mr. H. Lamb:

To the Rev. J. D. McInnes, Omemee, Ontario:—

Dear Sir,—It is with great pleasure we welcome you home to our town, to your church and family.

We are sorry to see the condition you are in, physically incapacitated and still in the doctor's hands. We sincerely hope you will soon be restored to your previous health and strength.

You left home when the sweet training and hard work you have voluntarily undertaken for the sake of your country. Miss Parsons' class you did not hesitate, though you were above military age and were not liable for service, but showed the spirit that was in you by enlisting in the ranks as a private soldier, and we all know that you were anxious to go to the front to "do your bit."

We are certain that your only sorrow is that you have not been able to enter the trenches and fight against the common enemy of mankind, and that you do not fear for your body wounds received in battle. We know it was your earnest desire to give yourself freely for your country's need and like the Scotchmen of Old Scotia you are at all times ready and willing to do your part, and to show to the world that the splendid blood of fighting forefathers still flows in your veins.

You have given up your profession and left wife and family and home at an age when most men are only too anxious to be quiet and comfortable, to take up the hard and strenuous training of a soldier.

You did good work in recruiting before you left for England, and it was largely due to your energy and example that the ranks of the 109th Battalion were filled by men from this township and community. Preference it was owing to your zeal in building suitable accommodation that it was possible for the platoon to spend the whole winter in the village.

You have done your duty to the best of your ability and you sacrificed yourself and your future for your country's cause. We can only hope and pray that you will soon be restored to health and strength and that you will be spared for many years of usefulness to your family, your church and your country.

Signed on behalf of the citizens of Omemee,

J. W. SMITH, L. WINDRIM, F. G. SANDY, T. J. PARSONS, (Reeve), WALTON L. HOWDEN, H. LAMB.

Mr. McInnes made a very suitable reply saying he did not deserve such a reception as was given him, after which he briefly described his voyage from when he left Barriefield until he landed in England, also some of his adventures while there.

Rev. Mr. McCulloch, of Port Hope, the acting pastor, in Mr. McInnes absence, then spoke a few words as did also Lieut. Bishop, the recruiting officer in Omemee.

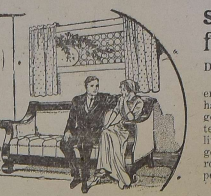
Miss Helen Johnson delighted the audience by singing "Somewhere in France," Miss Ida Parsons also sang a very pretty patriotic solo.

Rev. Mr. Down delivered an address after which Mr. Reid, of Lindsay sang two patriotic songs, receiving great applause.

Rev. Mr. Janes was called upon but as the electric light service is cut off at eleven o'clock, he hardly got on his feet until the signal was given and the National Anthem was announced, which brought the meeting to a close.

Quality first—The best we can procure. J. SUTCLIFFE & SONS The lowest price first—and only one price.

Give Your Home Some Consideration Before Easter Time



Duplex Drapery Material

This material is two distinctly different weaves woven as one. The side hanger part is satin cloth in an extra good weight and in a big range of patterns. The Curtain part is a good quality Scrim with fancy weave border, good designs for bed rooms, living room, dining rooms and dens. Special per yard 50c

Beautiful New Veilings

These are the most fashionable veilings of the season, and come in both black and colors. The popular fine mesh weaves with pointed chenilled and fancy scroll borders with straight edges. Prices range from 75c down to only 25c

Special Dollar Corset

This Corset is extra good value for the money. Made in several popular models for slight, medium, and full figures. One very new novel is reinforced front, extra hook attached, four hose supporters, well steeled, sizes 19 to 30. Your choice of these models for.. $1

Congoleum Floor Rugs

We have a splendid assortment of these popular floor coverings and you will like the designs and colorings we have. There is a large variety of sizes so that your space to cover can be covered to your satisfaction. Measure up any space you have and let us quote you a price for a suitable size rug.

New Shaddow Draperies

We have just received a partial shipment of our American Shaddow Draperies and they are very pretty, 36 inches wide, all new designs and colorings, the best values in the trade. Per yard 45c

New Middie Ties 25c

These are Jap Silk with hemstitched borders, centres are assorted plain colors and the borders in contrasting plain colors. On sale each 25c

LADIES' MARABOUT NECKPIECES AND MUFFS

Just the thing to wear after leaving off your furs. They are dressy, comfortable and decidedly of good appearance. We are showing them in very smart designs, featuring the new broad collar effects, particularly in the pure white ones, priced at each $6.75 and $6; In Black, Brown, Black and White, or brown and White. We offer them at $7.50, $6 and $5.

Muffs to match priced at $6 and $5.

Buy Your Easter Millinery Early

We have made early preparation for filling your order for Easter Millinery. Besides this we are offering you a choice from one of the best showings we have ever featured. You will be delighted with the stylish finish, the very newness of it, and the reasonable prices. Did you notice the Oriental touch that is featured in many lines this year? It has also made its appearance in the exclusive millinery styles for Spring. But then we have a style for everybody.

SOON! IT WON'T BE LONG.

No, it wont be long now. Soon, expresses it, then we will be able to show you the results of long planning, of extra work, of great detail, all to accomplish one great move, now soon to be realized: The opening of the Sutcliffe greater store, one big enough to do credit to a city. But nothing is too good for Lindsay and its surrounding district. The people appreciate a good store. They have shown it by their patronage of this store. Now we will offer them greater service. It won't be long—but soon.

We Sell Pictorial Review Patterns and Publications

Dress Goods Section

The Very Spirit of Spring

is embodied in the charming afternoon frock of Crepe Georgette Crepe with a smart color contrast as the girdle of striped sports silk in

Pictorial Review Patterns For APRIL

The Fashion Book costs ten cents when purchased with a pattern.

Costume 7179 38 vests

J. Sutcliffe & Sons

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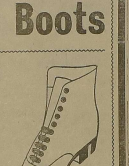
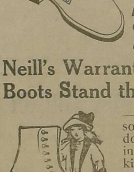
Spring Working Boots

The efficiency of your spring work will largely depend on having a dependable pair of Working Boots.

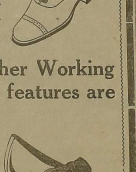


Neill's Warranted Solid Leather Working Boots Stand the Test--Special features are



—sole leather counters.
solid leather insoles,
double toecaps—Made in celebrated chrome kip, walrus, calf, Meteonite grain and cowhide leathers.

Men's sizes 6 to 12, from 2.65 to 5.00.
Women's sizes 3 to 8 from 2.65 to 3.00.
Children's sizes from 1.75 to 2.85.



"The best is the cheapest in the long run" Get a pair of NEILL'S WORKING BOOTS

R. NEILL

Nine Stores in Canada

90 Kent-st. Lindsay

SUGAR ADVANCED ANOTHER 20 CENTS

Sugar advanced another 20 cents on the hundred Tuesday. There is a ray of hope for the housewife, however, in the decided slump in the price of potatoes.

If a girl works hard to obtain a husband, that is no sign she will work for him afterwards.

Sale Mar. 31,'17

Six months' credit sale.
25 choice steers and heifers,
26 red and white steers,
35 grass cattle on sale.
45 Holstein cows in calf.
10 heifers, all due early.
13 heifers held over, got to be sold.
19 choice Durham steers,
10 young calves, any price.
8 cheap work horses.
5 good sound young horses.
2 heavy plugs, good condition.
2 sets single harness, new.
1 set new double harness.
50 halters, got to be sold.
2 dozen whips, rawhide.

TERMS

Six months' credit will be given on all sums over sixty days at bankers' rates furnishing approved joint notes. A discount at rate of 7 per cent. per annum for credit amounts, $15.00 and under cash.

W. A. FANNING, Prop. G. JACKSON, Auct.

TENDERS

Will be received by the undersigned up to Tuesday, April 3rd for an operator for, and for two teams and teamsters for the working of the Road Grader in the Municipality of the Township of Emily during the season of 1917.

Tenders may be sent in separately for operating and for teams.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

R. G. CHANDY,
Township Clerk.

Dunsmore, March 20th, 1917.

ARRESTED ON DESERTION CHARGE

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Two Bobcaygeon young men were brought to town this morning in charge of an officer from Kinmount. They were taken into custody at that place Tuesday on the charge of desertion.

The accused were given a remand this week in the Central Police Court on the charge of breaking into Hon. E. Kemp's cottage at Pigeon Lake, while on the estate of friends evidently were given their liberty, on condition, it is understood, that they would enlist.

The accused claim that they never joined up and therefore should not be arrested as deserters.

ATTRACTIVE GIFTS FOR EASTER

Easter is only a few days off—better come in and select your Easter gifts now.

We are showing a most exquisite line of pins, brooches bracelets, bracelets, wrist watches, rings and etc. suitable for the occasion.

Remember an Easter gift should be something which will last a life-time. Nothing is more suitable than good jewelry.

The best selection and the best values are to be found here.

McCARTY'S Jewelry Store
The Store with the Stock
Wedding Rings — Marriage Licenses

FARMERS NOTICE!

The Academy presents an up to date photo play program of

Dramas and Comedies

Every Saturday Afternoon

ADMISSION — 10c

LINDSAY MARKETS

Lindsay, March 30th.

GRAIN QUOTATIONS

Bran—$24.00.
Barley—$1.10.
Buckwheat—$1.20.
Corn—$1.30.
Rye—$1.26.
Goose wheat,—$1.45.
Wheat, spring—$1.65.
Wheat, fall—$1.80.
Shorts—$2.30.
Rolled oats—$4.00.
Flour, best Manitoba—$5.20.
Flour, best patents—$5.10.

PRODUCE PRICES

Eggs—32c—36c.
Dairy butter—32c—40c.
Potatoes—$2.00.

CATTLE PRICES

Cattle—$7—$9.
Hogs—$14.50—$15.00.
Lambs—$13—$14.
Sheep—$11.50—$12.50.
Hides—$14—$16.
Wool, unwashed—30c—37c.
Wool, washed—40c—47c

RETAIL PRODUCE MARKET

Following prices are being charged by Lindsay stores to the consumer:

Butter—45c.
Creamery—46c.
Chickens—25c.
Hens—16c—18c.
Geese—22c—25c
Turkeys—30c.
Cream—40c. qt.
Hay—$10—$12.
Straw—$7—$14.75.
Straw—$5 load.
Cattle—$8—$10.

WANTED

WANTED — A good capable girl to assist with general housework. Apply at once to Mrs. R. M. Beal.

BROWN'S MUSIC STORE sells pianos at $190 and up with 5 different makes from which to select. Also new and second hand organs and all other kinds of musical instruments together with books and sheet music of every class. Repairs and orders for goods promptly attended to.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—$1600 for my two and a half storey brick dwelling, with good stable, hen house and two acres of good garden, situated on corner of Peel and Victoria streets, Village of Beaverton, owned by the estate of the late William Bruce Wilson. Apply to the Executor, W. Ritchie, Beaverton, Ont., or Thomas Bruce, Beaverton, Ont., executor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Pursuant to the Ontario Statute 7, George V, Chapter 24, Section 55, and amendments thereto, notice is hereby given that John Windrim, late of the Township of Manvers, in the County of Victoria, carpenter, deceased, who died on or about the second day of December, 1916, to send by post prepaid to E. W. Weldon, of the Town of Lindsay, solicitor for John Bruce Wilson, executor of the last will of the said Samuel John Windrim, deceased, his christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of the nature of their securities, if any, held by them, and that the said administrator shall after the first day of May, 1917, proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they have then notice, and shall not be liable for the assets or any part thereto so distributed to any person of whose claim such administrator has not notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Lindsay this twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1917.

E. W. WELDON,
Solicitor for William Isaac Watson, sole Executor.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

TORONTO CATTLE MARKETS
March 28

Choice heavy steers $10.75 to $11.50; medium, $10.00 to $10.50; butchers' choice handy, $10.75; good, $10.25 to $10.50; medium, $9.75 to $10.25; common, $8.25 to $9.25; butchers' choice cows, $8.50 to $9.50; good, $7.50 to $8.25; medium, $6.75 to $7.50; butchers' bulls, choice, $9.25 to $9.75; good, $8.25 to $9.00; medium, $7.25 to $8.00; feeders, steers, to 1,000 lbs, $8.50 to $9.50; medium, 700 to 800 lbs., $7.50 to $8.25; stockers, steers, 500 to 600 lbs., $7.25 to $8.00; medium, $6.50 to $7.00; cutters, $5.25 to $6.25; canners, $5.00 to $5.25; milkers, good to choice, $80.00 to $100.00; common and medium, $50 to $70.00; springers, $75.00 to $100.00; calves, veal, choice, $12.50 to $14.50; medium, $9.50 to $11.00; common, $6.00 to $8.00; grass, $7.00 to $7.50; heavy fat, $7.00 to $9.00; lambs, choice, $14.50 to $15.00; culls, $9.00 to $12.00; sheep, choice, light, $13.25 to $13.60; heavy and bucks, $8.50 to $9.50; culls, $4.00 to $7.00; hogs, fed and watered, $14.00 to $14.25; f.o.b. cars, $13.00 to $13.25.

Less 50c. on heavies; less $1 to $2 on lights; less $2 to $2.50 on sows, and $3 to $4 on stags.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Chicago, March 27.—Cattle — Receipts, 9,000; market firm; beeves, $9.15 to $12.95; stockers and feeders, $7 to $9.85; cows and heifers, $5.50 to $10.60; calves, $9.50 to $14. Hogs—Receipts, 18,000; market steady; bulk of sales, $14.15 to $14.40; heavy, $14.20 to $14.45; mixed, $14.15 to $14.50; rough, $14.15 to $14.30; light, $14.20 to $14.60; pigs, $10.25 to $13.50. Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; market weak; lambs, native, $13.75 to $15.40.

BUFFALO MARKETS

East Buffalo, N. Y., March 27.—Despite a few heavy live stock receipts, Cattle—Receipts, 30 cars; steady. Hogs—Receipts, 20 cars; steady; heavy, $14.75 to $15; mixed, $14.75 to $15.10; heavy, $14.45 to $15.10; rough, $14.45 to $14.60; pigs, $10.25 to $14.50. Sheep—Receipts, 14 cars; strong; top lambs $14.80 to $15.75; yearlings $12 to $14.

TORONTO GRAIN MARKETS

Manitoba Wheat—Track, bay ports No. 1 northern, $2.09; No. 2 northern, $2.05 1-2; No. 3 northern, $1.99 1-2; No. 4 wheat, $1.90.

Manitoba Oats—All-rail, delivered No. 2 C.W., 76c; No. 3 C. W., 75c; extra No. 1 feed, 72 3-4c; No. 1 feed 71 3-4c.

American corn — No. 3 yellow $1.24, subject to embargo.

Ontario wheat — No. 2, winter, $1.91 to $1.93, according to freights outside; No. 3 winter, $1.85 to $1.87.

Ontario oats (according to freights outside)—No. 2 white, 47c to 48c; nominal; No. 3 white, 46c to 47c. Peas—Nominal.

Barley—Malting, $1.21 to $1.23.

Buckwheat—$1.32.

Rye—No. 2, new, $1.51 to $1.53.

Manitoba Flour—First patents in jute bags, $10; seconds, in jute, $9.50; strong bakers', in jute, $9.10. Toronto Flour.

Ontario Flour — Winter, new, track, Toronto, prompt shipment, according to sample, $7.75, in jute bags, $7.35, export grade, bulk, seaboard.

Milfeed—Car lots, delivered, Montreal, freights, Shorts, $40; Bran, $38; good feed flour, per bag, $2.70 to $2.80.

Hay—Track, Toronto, extra No. 2, $13.50 to $12; mixed, $8.50 to $11. Straw—Car lots, $7 to $7.50.

Cereals—Rolled oats, car lots, per bag of 90 lbs., $3.65; small lots, $3.85; rolled oats, per bag of 90 lbs., $4.15; small lots, $4.30. Cornflour, per bag of 112 lbs., $4.75; small lots, $4.90. Cornmeal, per bag of 98

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OUR 71st YEAR—NO. 13. LINDSAY, ONT., FRIDAY, MARCH 30th, 1917 $1.50 Per Annum in Advance.

LINDSAY WILL APPEAL AGAINST COUNTY VALUATORS' EQUALIZATION

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Present were Ald. Wilkinson and Chambers:—That the Finance Committee, having had under consideration the equalization of the assessment of the municipality for County purposes, and having discussed the same in all its bearings, recommend the council to instruct the Town solicitor to enter an appeal against the said equalization as it applies to Lindsay, if same is necessary.

At a meeting of the Finance Committee of the council last night the matter of an appeal against the equalization of the assessment of the municipality was discussed. The members wrestled with the question for over an hour, after which the above resolution was adopted.

The resolution was supported by His Worship Mayor Kylie, Reeve Mc-Lean, Ald. Baker, the mover and seconder, Ald. Annis and Duck were absent. Those opposing it were Deputy-Reeve Babcock and McGaffey.

It was contended during the discussion that it was not necessary for the town to enter a formal appeal as it was felt that any evidence the municipality wished to submit could be submitted when the appeals entered by the other municipalities were considered.

It is understood that the statutes declare that the question of the costs of an appeal is their relation to the general costs appealing and the county let to the discretion of the presiding judge.

PRESENTATION TO PTE MURRIN

(From Friday's Daily.)

Pte. Thos. Murrin, of the 169th Battalion, who has been invalided home, was the recipient of a reception as well as a presentation at the hands of his friends last evening. The following address was read by Mrs. Lawrence, while Mrs. T. H. Gaskell made the presentation of a purse of silver, and a chair:—

To Mr. Thos. Murrin:—

Dear Mr. Murrin,—It is with feelings of joy that we, your friends, have gathered to-night to extend a welcome back to our associations one who has been brave enough to have volunteered his services to this land, country in defence of those principles for which that old piece of bunting, "the flag that for a thousand years has braved the battle and the breeze," now stands.

We welcome you home, sir, with the knowledge that had the all-wise Providence granted you that health, which is required by every individual of that vast army, which is so valiantly using its ever-increasing might to push back the barbarian Huns, you would have nobly done your part. In connection with the Canadian taskmasters that honor and justice shall ever succeed over the principle that might is right, we cherish the hope since your return to this fair domain you will soon be enjoying God's greatest blessing, perfect health.

And now, dear Thomas, we ask you to accept this token of our esteem, purse of silver as a humble expression of the sentiments towards you and our sincere wishes that you may enjoy a long and prosperous journey through life.

Signed on behalf of those present, Mrs. A. Lawrence, Mrs. T. H. Gaskell.

Pte. Murrin made a most graceful reply, thanking his many friends for their kindness as well as for the kind sentiments which the address conveyed.

The evening was pleasantly spent by those assembled. Pte. Murrin has been suffering from rheumatism, and was unable to go over to France from England, during his term of service, as he was anxious to do his part on the Western front.

INDIAN LIST IS UNDER AMENDMENT

(From Saturday's Daily.)

A new "Indian list" is to be established by the Government under the provisions of an amendments to the Ontario Temperance Act brought down in the house yesterday by Hon. Mr. Hanna. Other important clauses provide that express companies must keep records of deliveries and place them at the disposal of the inspectors of the department, and that the exemption from business tax under the Act for standard hotels, breweries and distilleries, shall continue for three years.

"No," was the reply of the government to H. H. Dewart's question. "The amendments do not provide for the abolition of the license board."

Premier Hearst replied to N. W. Rowell that no change would be made in the law relating to dentistry. There is Ontario, or with regard to advertising.

The Indian list provisions are that the inspectors may designate persons whom they consider to be addicted to the too frequent use of liquor. It is forbidden that persons so designated shall have liquor in their houses, and severe penalties are provided for persons who deliver liquor to them or give them a drink.

FARMER CONVERTED BY THE FACTS

(From Friday's Daily.)

A farmer drove into town the other day to get an old-fashioned article—a buggy—and the salesman at the implement store showed him one at $99.

"Talk about the high cost of living," the farmer grumbled. "I can remember that my father bought a buggy exactly like that for $60 twenty years ago."

The salesman remembered the sale too, and he responded quickly:

"Your father turned a big bushels of corn to pay for it. Now, I'll do better by you than I did by your father. You bring me three bushels of corn and I'll let you pick out this for—"

And the salesman wrote down:

One $50 buggy.
One $50 waggon.
One $25 drag.
One $20 suit of clothes.
One $5 baby dress.
One $5 ring.
One $2 box of cigars.
$2 worth of sugar.
$1.50 worth of coffee.
$1 worth of tea.
$40 worth of gasoline.
$2.50 worth of lubricating oil.

The total figured $240, the value of the 300 bushels of corn it had taken to buy the buggy twenty years before. The farmer climbed back into his motor car.

"I can't afford it, got any kick coming on the high cost of living," he said. "Send out that $90 buggy."

GERMANY HOPES NO FRIGHTEN FRANCE BY FRIGHTFULNESS CAMPAIGN

London, March 22.—That Germany in her work of devastation, which is turning the abandoned territory in northern France into a desert, may have a political motive in the direction of a threat that to treat all occupied territory unless France enters into peace negotiations, was the theory advanced by Major-General F. B. Maurice, Chief Director of Military Operations at the War Office, in his weekly talk to the Associated Press' Today.

"The extent of the German retirement was no surprise to us," he said. "And you may feel that I prepared you for it. Just where the new line will be formed it is impossible to say, but it is by no means certain that the Germans will again offer battle on the Cambrai-Laon line.

"Theories as to an ultimate withdrawal are purely speculative, as, for instance, pivoting on Lille the German may extend their defence from Cambrai. On the other hand, while using the same pivot, they may form a line along the lower slopes of the Ardennes."

PHOTOS OF RUINED VILLAGES

General Maurice then showed a number of ruined and burning villages taken before they were actually abandoned by the Germans, and showed almost total destruction. With reference to these villages, he said:

"These were never under any military fire. Of course, destruction directed by military necessity is permissible, but the Germans have carried the abandoned country into a desert. Every cross-road is marked by a brown mile-crater. Other measures of this sort were adopted as a military necessity to retard our advance, but the wanton destruction of buildings, homes and splendid chateaux cannot be defended on this ground.

"When a military motive is lacking we must look for a political one. Is it conceivable that the Germans are animated by a pure love of savagery. This political motive may be a threat to France that unless peace negotiations are entered into the remainder of the occupied territory will be farmed into the same sort of a desert now marking the German retreat. Of course, the primary object of the destruction is a desire to avoid battle at any cost until the enemy is fixed in another line where he can resume the initiative after compelling us to make new preparations on the devastated terrain.

FIRES NORTH OF ARRAS

"Unofficial reports of fires and explosions north of Arras have been verified, and may mean a retirement in that direction, as similar actions marked the preliminaries of the present retreat. Stronger resistance by the enemy on both flanks of the German withdrawal is quite natural. At these points the Germans have the support of their guns, and do not prefer the same disposition to avoid battle.

"The lack of reports of prisoners taken by us or the enemy during military fire. Of course, destruction directed by military necessity is permissible, but the Germans have carried the abandoned country into a desert. Every cross-road is marked by a brown mile-crater. Other measures

ANOTHER EFFORT MADE TO SETTLE THE IRISH QUESTION

London, March 22.—In the course of a debate in the House of Commons tonight on a resolution introduced by James Henry Dalziel, Liberal, urging the Government to take another attempt at, if all, and I am certain the Government will have not only the sympathy but the active cooperation of the whole House."

Former Premier Asquith, having expressed profound gratification at the announcement of the Chancellor, said: "I think it better to make the attempt and fail than not to make it at all, and I am certain the Government will have not only the sympathy but the active cooperation of the whole House."

CHEMONG INDIAN MAKES SACRIFICE

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Another gallant Indian member of the 52nd Battalion has given his life for Canada and the Empire. Friday's official casualty list gives the name of Pte. Austin Henry Beaver, of Chemong, Indian Village, officially reported killed in action. Deceased enlisted with the Chemong quota of the 52nd Battalion in the Spring of last year, and was a member of the company of the 33rd under Capt. Bygott. He went overseas with the Petawawa Battalion, and with the same force to another Canadian Battalion in France, he fell a fearless live at the Indian village, Chemong.

GOLDEN WEDDING WAS OBSERVED

A most enjoyable time was spent on Wednesday, the 21st of March, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. Pearl Smith, the occasion being the golden anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, which event the house was beautifully decorated with the colors of the Union Jack.

An address and presentation were read, the former by Miss Lillian, and a purse of gold was presented by Mr. Joseph Donaldson, Jr., which was replied to by the grandparents in a very graceful manner. Mr. and Mrs. Smith, who are both natives of Toronto, came to Lindsay 50 years ago, and have always resided in the town. They have had a family of eight, seven of whom survive, namely: Mrs. W. T. Smith, South Mountain; Mrs. W. J. Farrow, Toronto; Miss Christene, Toronto; Miss Lillian, Toronto.

A social evening was engaged in, and brought to a close with the best wishes for the old and respected parents.

WE FORGET

What did the girls get in for before they were spats? — Kansas City Journal.

SOME DIFFERENCE

"I have a friend who goes often to see a man he knows, and yet that man has repeatedly driven him from his office door."

"What! In anger?"

"No, in an automobile."—Baltimore American.

TUBERS SOLD FOR $2.60 A BAG

(From Saturday's Daily.)

That a decided slump is taking place in the price of potatoes is indicated by the following report:

A Manvers farmer phoned a local institution a day or two ago with a view to buying a few bags. He was quoted being $4.00 a bag. He was informed that the price was as exhorbitant as that in view of the anticipated slump. This gas news to the farmer, who it appears, had a plentcous supply of tubers on hand, and being afraid that the expected decline in price would leave him with a surplus on his hands, decided to sell to a local merchant for $2.60 per bag. This is a direct corner story, but an actual fact.

PETERBORO AVIATOR FELL 200 FEET

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Examiner: It will be with great regret that his many friends in Peterboro will learn of the death of R. A. Crisp, former machine gun officer of the 93rd Battalion, and more recently with the Royal Flying Corps, who was reported seriously ill a couple of days ago, is in very grave condition at the county hospital at York, Eng. Further particulars received yesterday conveyed the news that Lieut. Crisp had sustained a fracture of the base of the skull as the result of a fall of 200 feet in an aeroplane.

Lieut. Crisp was in Peterboro in addition during all of its training in this city and organized and commanded the splendid machine gun section of the Peterboro battalion. When the 93rd reached England Lieut Crisp transferred to the Flying Corps and had practically completed his training as an aviator and was expected to go to France at once, when the accident occurred. His many friends in this city will be shocked to learn that his condition is very serious indeed.

VEHICLES NEEDN'T CARRY LIGHTS

(From Saturday's Daily.)

G. H. Gonderham's bill to amend the Highways Travel Act was up before the Municipal Committee Friday morning.

The section regarding the right-of-way of vehicles on the streets carried. Instead of vehicles having the right-of-way, which are going north and south over those going east and west, when coming to cross the vehicles on the right hand side would have the right of way.

The clause to compel all vehicles to carry lights at night was knocked out, as there was considerable opposition on behalf of the farmers.

IS THERE PROFIT IN RAISING HOGS?

(From Friday's Daily.)

Everyone thinks there is big profit in hogs at present prices, that is, everyone but the hog raiser. The wise farmer says it takes six pounds of feed at two cents a pound to make one pound of hog, leaving a very small margin to offset the farmer's labor and capital investment. When feed is high and the price is in today, and hogs less than half the present price the farmer must have been losing money on every hog, unless a considerable value can be placed on the fertilizing advantages of feeding hogs on the farm. Some people are afraid that the expected decline in price would leave him with a surplus of feed, but need not worry. Ask a local merchant for $2.60 per bag, and this is a direct corner story, but an actual fact.

COLLINGWOOD GIRL DESERTED CHILD

(From Saturday's Daily.)

A shocking case of desertion of a babe by its mother was brought to light at Collingwood last week. The child is a young girl who was but sixteen till next August. The child was born in June, 1916, and on Saturday night, March 10th, she took the baby out in a carriage, shoved it in a lumber yard, and left the child to its fate. When found on Sunday after being out in the cold for two days and nights it was frozen stiff, and hands were frost-bitten, and otherwise nearly perished. The police, after some inquiries, located the mother, who admitted in court having deserted her child as above stated. The girl pleaded not guilty on the father of the child, who is now in England with the 157th Battalion. The child is in the hospital, and the child-mother sent to the Industrial Home.

THAT'S ANOTHER STORY

Hen—At a football dinner a man got up and left the table because someone told a story he didn't approve of.

Shoo—"Oh, how noble of him! What was the story?"

ABSCONDER BAGGED AT PETERBORO

James A. Hird, treasurer of St. John's Anglican Church, Toronto, was arrested in Peterboro Wednesday on a charge of absconding with the funds of the church, amounting to $1,469. He left Toronto early in December, since when the police have been searching for him. It was believed that he had crossed the border and had distributed pamphlets, describing the man, all over Canada and the United States. Thursday afternoon Inspector of Detectives Kennedy was notified that a man answering to the wanted man's description was registered at the Queen's hotel under admitted his identity. A detective will be sent to Peterboro tonight to fetch the wanted man to Toronto. The complainant is Mr. J. W. Atherton, 201 Woodbine avenue, Toronto.

INCONVENIENT

Erasmutude — "I'm terribly worried, Dear Harold is coming home on leave, and he tells me he's captured seven Germans. Now I really haven't the faintest idea what to do with them."

GRUESOME FIND BY CANADIANS

(From Friday's Daily.)

Canadian Headquarters in France, March 22.—The civilian population behind the Canadian front is jubilant over the display of "voluntary elasticity" by the enemy. On that part of the western battleline and Noyon the enemy still holds the trenches here and there. The raid on Tuesday morning by the Canadians proved that. It resulted in the capture of a number of prisoners with a minimum of loss.

A dramatic incident is reported from a part of our front on which, early in the war, stuborn battles took place between the French and the enemy for strategic advantage. In discovered the entrance to a dugout in which were four German officers sealed at a table evidently a death had overtaken them. Their equipment was still hanging on the wall. The cause of death was apparently asphyxiation either from gas entering the dugout or from the closing of its entrance by shell fire. The Canadians knowing there was no hope of escape, the officers must have sat down around the table waiting for death. Many other like tragedies may be discovered later.

TWENTY AMERICANS WERE DROWNED WHEN SUBMARINE SANK SHIP

London, March 22.—Thirteen members of the steamer Healdton's crew have arrived at Ymuiden, Holland. They say the steamer was sunk without warning. The vessel left "safe zone," and express the belief that nineteen men aboard the vessel were drowned.

Washington, aMrch 22.—American Consul Mahin at Amsterdam called the State Department to-night that the American steamer Healdton, sunk by a submarine yesterday off Terschelling, Holland, was torpedoed without warning and that twenty of the crew were drowned. The Consul's despatch follows:

"Standard Oil Ship Healdton, from Philadelphia for Rotterdam, cargo petrol, torpedoed without warning 8.15 evening of 21st, twenty-five miles north of Terschelling, Holland. Twenty-one saved. One died on board. Injuries. Others (taken) to north of Holland. Submarine seen after torpedoing. Unable to follow."

The steamer Healdton, of 4,488 tons, sailed from Chester, Pa., on January 16 for Rotterdam with 10,171,000 gallons of refined petroleum. The Healdton was owned by the Standard Oil Company, and was commanded by Captain Christopher. She carried a crew of thirty-eight men.

U. S. CAPTAIN IMPERILLED.

Vice-Consul Kreh at Rotterdam advised the State Department tonight of the sinking by gunfire from a German submarine of the Dutch tank ship Lacampina, with an American Captain, Gustav Claud, on March 21, in the North Sea safety zone. The vessel's crew after being buffeted twenty-six hours in a lifeboat.

Word that a European neutral sailed under escort to England was at war between the United States and Germany has come to the Admiralty without causing surprise, and in any way affecting the Government's plans for meeting the ruthlessness.

Such a proposal is regarded here as nothing more than another scheme fostered by Germany with the object of confusing the issue and possibly dividing sentiment in this country, while the destruction of the Healdton lives and ships on the high seas continues.

At the State Department to-day officials would neither deny nor confirm that the Government already had been approached on this subject, although it was admitted informally that some such move was to be expected. It was very emphatically stated that no suggestion of mediation or discussion would be considered unless it was accomplished by abandonment of illegal assaults upon American shipping, a course to which there is no reason for believing the Imperial Government is giving a thought.

PREPARE FOR WAR.

During the ten days that must elapse before Congress assembles in extraordinary session to call President Wilson will give close personal attention to the preparation going forward through the War and Navy Departments. He saw no calls to-day, but was in touch with both of the departments. One of the duties he performed was the signing of a formal proclamation suspending the eight-hour law as applied to plants engaged on naval work, a step authorized by Congress as a part of the general plans for speeding up construction.

Secretary Baker, as Chairman of the Council of National Defence, to-day called the Council and its Advisory Committee of heads of great industrial interests to Washington. The Council has already accomplished much toward mobilization of all the nation's resources, and its members, as Chairman of the Council's Committee on Labor, issued invitations to labor leaders, employers, and scientists to accept membership on the committee and attend its first meeting on April 3.

Additional efforts to stimulate recruiting for the navy were launched during the day. The campaign to the recruiting service during the last few months has been the best on record, and Secretary Daniels is determined to fill up promptly to the full authorized strength of 74,500 men.

VICTORIA COUNTY CAME SECOND

Bellevrille, March 22.—F. H. McLean, Grand Master of the Loyal Orange Grand Lodge for Eastern Ontario, presided over the hardy annual meeting held that the said year had been one of progress notwithstanding the fact that many thousands of members had crossed overseas. Hastings County south had the largest increase for the year, namely, 90, and Victoria County was second with 87. Every county in the Lodge jurisdiction were carrying those of its members who have gone to the war.

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TIME BRINGS CHANGES.

Sir Sam Hughes, ex-Minister of Militia has returned from the United States, where he has been feted and banqueted by the Yanks. The ex-Minister, judging from his interviews, seems to have revised his opinion of our American cousins. Time was when he advised Canadians to have no truck or trade with the Yankees, but the lamb has now within the "crooly loyal" Tories doled out contracts to American firms, utterly ignoring Canadian cheerful bidwates that the admonitions lacked sincerity.

HEEDLESS PARENTS

Fathers and mothers alike assume that their sole duty is to feed and clothe their offspring, send them to school and perhaps to church for the moral instruction they get nowhere else. Who their playmates are, where they spend their hours of leisure—such important things as these are ignored. Is it any wonder that more and more American children are growing up without manners, without morals, running into mischief it not into crime, and losing the graces if not the virtues of what should be the sap of successful?—Philadelphia Ledger.

Right here in Lindsay we have the spectacle of scores of children running riot on the streets at night and conspiring in front of public pastool with a late hour. There is no effort made by the authorities to enforce the statutes and punish the parents of these children for their indifference. The street is the devil's school and many children in this town are learning their first lessons in crime, while those who are expected to enforce the law look on in silence.

A GREATER CANADA.

The first of July will be the 50th anniversary of Dominion confederation when the provinces of Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick linked themselves together and gave birth to the Dominion of Canada. This confederation was afterwards joined by others, so that to-day the Dominion of Canada constitutes the brightest gem in the Imperial Crown. The Dominion Government has decided upon some form of celebration to mark the semi-centennial, and it Post agrees with the Stratford Beacon in suggesting that the bringing in of Newfoundland, which the original scheme of Confederation intended should in due course, would be an event which would harmonize with such celebration and no addition of Newfoundland could increase them. There is evidently a better feeling in the island on the way of casting in their lot with Canada now than there was at the last time negotiations were conducted, but we must wait for Newfoundland to make overtures on the subject. That she will come into the Union ultimately there is scarcely a doubt, but her coming at the present time would increase our burden of responsibility, and we shall have all we can attend to without enlarging our territory either by the addition of Newfoundland or the British West Indies, the latter being another suggestion which has found favor in some quarters.

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UNCLE SAM AND MEXICO.

When hostilities actually break out between the United States and Germany the Mexican border will undoubtedly be the scene of stirring incidents. German agents have been busily engaged in the Mexican Republic in increasing the enmity between the Mexicans and "Gringos" as the Americans are called by the people of that turbulent republic.

Some authorities claim that there are between 50,000 and 75,000 Germans in Mexico, and that ever since diplomatic relations were severed between these two countries many Germans have taken up their abode there. Confidential diplomatic reports from the representatives of a neutral Government in Mexico are passing through Washington on their way to Europe, say the German bank in Mexico City, and the German legation there are guiding virtually the entire financial and diplomatic affairs of Mexico. According to these reports the action of Mexico in sending recently to the American Republics a note on the subject of peace in Europe was directed by officials of the German legation at which the German bank is said to have some into control of the Mexican financial situation.

It is declared that the German bank has enough quantities of the paper issued by the Mexican Government and that the institution appears to have at its disposal unlimited resources. From the tenor of the report it appears that a large quantity of German money has reached the Mexican Government. The German legation is said, in the report, will easily to be directed every move of the Mexican Government, both internally and externally.

Considerable attention is given in the reports to the new Mexican Constitution which goes into effect May 1st. It is being declared that several of its provisions apparently were devised as means of assisting the cause of Germany in Mexico at the expense of the interests of the citizens of the United States.

CANADA'S WAR LOAN.

If the third Canadian war loan turns out to be as successful as it now confidentially expected, the result will be a distinct financial triumph for the Dominion people. It is admitted by all the leading financial experts and bankers what the launching of the loan, equal in aggregate amount to the two previous issues, required great courage and faith in the patriotism of the Canadian public. It is only six months since the last loan was floated, and the determination to launch the present issue was reached when conditions were so uncertain in New York that the most powerful financial interests refrained from making new issues, whose proceeds were imperatively needed to meet the requirements of the allies.

There is, of course, an intimate relationship between financial conditions in New York and in Canada, and when money is tight there it is usually tight here. From this time forward it seems probable, in the view of the Minister of Finance, that financial conditions will continue to improve, no matter what action is taken by Congress.

The proceeds of the present war loan will finance both the Dominion and Imperial Governments in respect of their war expenditures in Canada until June next and possibly longer. Then some short date financial step be done either in New York or Canada, and no further war loan issues are to be looked for until next fall. If the war loan appears to be well on towards conclusion, the issue may be of short date expiring early. It seems unlikely that the Dominion Government will ever again make such attractive long date loans as those which have been offered during the past two years. One great advantage of placing the loans in Canada is the saving of expense in issue charges.

SOUND ASLEEP

Martyl — Aren't your knees tired, dear?

Martyrs — No, I can't feel your weight at all now.—Princeton Tiger.

IN 1920

Justice—What's the charge?

Officer—Stealing potatoes from a jewelry store, your honor!

$1,000.00 REWARD.

For information that will lead to the discovery or whereabouts of the person or persons suffering from Nervous Debility, Diseases of the Mouth and Throat, Blood Poison, Skin Diseases, Bladder Trouble, Special Ailments, and Chronic or Complicated Cases. Patients who can not come to the Dr. Hamilton Special Institute, 203-205 Yonge St., Toronto. Correspondence invited.

BOBCAYGEON

(Special to The Post.)

Rev. G. B. Boddy, who has been suffering from an attack of appendicitis, is recovering. Mrs. Boddy, who has been visiting her parents in Little Current has returned.

The canvass for the Soldiers' Aid Society is about completed, and we understand that a generous response has been made to the appeal. Of this more anon.

The Presbyterians celebrated the anniversary of the opening of their church on Sunday and Monday. The Rev. Donald Currie, D. D., of Peterboro, gave two inspiring services on Sunday permeated by the hopeful spirit, which left a fine fragrance. On Monday a platform meeting was held. There were anthems by the choir, and solos by Mrs. Russell Mc-Intosh, Mrs. McQuaig and Miss Irene Braine, and all were excellently rendered. Addresses by Rev. P. E. Reynolds, Rev. T. A. Sinclair and Dr. Currie, which were of the highest order. Each speaker rose to the occasion, and made a fine appeal to the Christian spirit of the community. It was the general opinion that no finer, more hopeful meeting had ever been held. Though we have not heard the amount, we understand that the generosity was generous in its giving, quite eclipsing the amount made by a tea.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Mark visited Little Britain last week, attending the golden wedding of Mr. Mark's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos Bardeau are visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. Crowe at Kinmount.

The curling is about done. On Monday night Mr. W. Boddy made a rink of boys put one over Mr. Dick Nicholls and his veterans, to the extent of 18 shots. When all the curling games are completed, Mr. W. Bottom winning the cup.

The sad news came by the young ladies of the Soldiers' Aid was a complete success and netted $50. Mr. Brodie Hall, of Lindsay, a member of bandsmen, to whose inspiring music the skaters glided around. There were all kinds of characters represented, negroes, gentlemen of fortune, old ladies of fashion, and Mary and her little lamb were also there.

The spring has made his bow, and the fragrance of sap boiling will soon be in the air. Also the music of the omnipresent sparrow has a more hopeful note.

Hilliard Murphy has a fine black eye caused by collision with a puck violently propelled by a hockey stick.

Quite a flurry of excitement was caused Monday morning by the rumor that Kaiser Bill had been shot and a revolution begun in Germany. In the operator's mind the wish was probably father to the thought, though one local man hoped that Bill would live to reap the full fruits of his misdeeds.

Mr. Wm. Moore of Harvey, is home from frosted Feet, where he has spent the winter as log scaler.

Mr. Quentin Moore, the veteran mail carrier to Nogey's Creek, is not in robust health, but his friends hope that spring's balmy air may work a cure for him.

We understand that Mr. Joseph Thurston, who is in charge of the Oberlin plant, contemplates leaving. We shall regret his departure.

Mr. T. G. Murphy has again secured the contract for the rural mail route south.

The best ring of that section sing about the first School. is to-night's meeting tonight. The price of cattle on the hoof is making it necessary to readjust the prices to the members. Everything is soaring, even the price of ice has gone up, caused by the increased cost of labor.

Ex-chief of police Nicholls and Miss Nicholls have returned from a prolonged visit to his daughter at Lakefield. The muskrats had better take out an extra insurance on their pelts, and we know one or two men who are living in anticipation of sharing in a muskrat supper sometime next month. May they not be disappointed.

The recent casualty lists contained the names of Pte. Wm. and Wm. Coons, of South Harvey, and of Mr. Crafts, of Buckhorn, both killed in action. The first was a member of the 169th.

PTE W. J. O'NEIL REPORTED WOUNDED

(From Friday's Daily.)

Miss J. O'Neill, of Miss O'Neill's Hospital, received a letter from her nephew, Pte. W. J. O'Neill, and a son of Mr. Patrick O'Neill, of Omemee. Pte. O'Neill was wounded while on active service in France and is now in a convalescent hospital in England. He enlisted in the 169th Battalion at the latter, but on going to France was attached to the 38th Canadians.

Serve Save Produce

EVERY ONE CAN do something for his country

Some can bear arms
Some can produce food
Some can make munitions
Some can give money

It is the privilege of all to help.

YOU CAN SERVE by Fighting—Working—Saving—Giving

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Were you raised on a farm? Can you drive a team? Can you handle fork or hoe? If you can't fight, you can produce. Spend the Summer working on the Farm.

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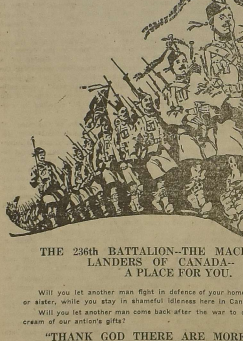

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Will you let another man fight in defence of your home—your mother—your wife or sister, while you stay in shameful idleness here in Canada?

Will you let another man come back after the war to despise you and take the cream of our nation's gifts?

"THANK GOD THERE ARE MORE CANADIANS COMING."

said David Lloyd George a few weeks ago.

MEN, the need is great.

COME—Live your Life for Canada—not for yourself alone.

COME—Prove that the heroism of our fighting fore-fathers is not dead in our blood to-day.

COME—Take your place on the side of Freedom and Justice, for God, and King and Canada.

Every Officer of the 236th Battalion has already seen service in the trenches. Put your clan tartan in your bonnet. Put on the national dress of old Scotland.

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BEAVERTON.

VICTORIA LOAN TAKES $75,000

(From Friday's Daily.)

Star: The closing days of the Canadian war loan are quite up to expectations, and very many subscriptions, both large and small, are pouring into brokerage offices all over the country. Of the more recent ones reported the National Trust Co. heads the list, with $1,250,000, which is more than double the amount subscribed to the last Canadian war loan.

The manufacturers' Life announced its subscription of $1,000,000, which brings the total subscriptions to the three Canadian war loans up to $2,112,000. E. R. Wickham has subscribed $100,000 and Mrs. E. R. Wickham $50,000. The Victoria Loan and Savings Co. are taking $75,000, and Tomenson, Raymond and Co., members of the Toronto Stock Exchange, $50,000, with an additional $50,000 for Mrs. J. S. Tomenson. Another local subscription announced today was that of Mr. J. H. Somers for $50,000.

CANNINGTON SOLDIER KILLED

Pte. E. L. Willis, who went overseas in October last, with the 166th Bn., has died of wounds. Two weeks ago he was reported wounded, and later Ottawa gave his condition as dangerous. His home is in Cannington, Ont. Pte. Willis enlisted more than a year ago, and received his military training at the Exhibition Camp during the winter. He first joined the 31st Battalion and took it, but later joined the 166th Bn., and was sent overseas with a brother of

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He rode on upon a narrow, grass-grown trail, and once more drew rein to look, this time upon a little rocky knoll. Now he noted, upon the farther lake, whose shores he had skirted, down upon the other lakelet lying just before him. He listened to the faint murmur of waters as it blended with the drooling murmur of tree-tops and found music in it.

For close to a quarter of an hour he sat very still. His eyes, keen and frowning, traveled back and forth along the base of the cliffs, seeming to be seeking something. This was not the first time he had come to this end of his holdings and perhaps he recalled the trail which led from the knoll with a pass and into the Bar Diamond country.

But his eyes were still frowning, still seeking when at last touched his horse with the spur and rode on. His trail led him to the Upper Lake. Here he paused again looking at the tiny island which seemed to be afloat upon the middle of the water's quiet surface, an island which was but the upthrust crest of a submerged knoll, tree-crowned and not measuring fifty paces from edge to edge.

From the miniature lake it was the logical thing for his eyes to travel across the upper lake to the far cliffs and scale the beetling cliffs. And so he found something which soon caused him since he had not expected to find it here.

It was a cabin builded of square logs and set close to the granite wall behind it so that the cliff really made the rear wall of the little one-day out. For scarcely more than dugout was it, a poor enough affair indeed, a square of ground ten feet across from side to side.

"A camp for the boys when they have to spend a night up at this end," guessed Sherrod.

At first he saw no way to get to the cabin across the lake. It stood upon a rocky ledge, a bare space of some twenty yards intervening between it and the edge of the water. And then he saw that the trail led from where he was around the further shore of the lake to the cabin door. And he saw, too, not a hundred yards from the cabin where the pass he sought cut through a narrow canon gap to the Bar Diamond cattle. And he guessed somewhere. And that something else so surprised the newcomer to this corner of the West that he gasped its astonishment.

It was between the mouth of the pass and the open lake. It was directly over a couple of hundred of yards from him when he first saw it and he wondered why he had not seen it before. And then he understood.

Had the thing been in the heart of a city it would have loomed up with an individuality more marked and more distinctive than a mere towering skyscraper. It would have been seen a mile away. And here, in the heart of the wild, he had almost collided upon it without seeing it. That was because it was builded so that it was a part of the landscape, blending with it, making no discord in the harmony of the landscape. Its pillars were the shaggy boles of pine trees, the rough bark and green moss still upon them. Its walls were of the same upland timber as the cliffs behind, granite boulders strewing the slopes. One corner column was a living pine whose green boughs stirred gently in a breeze which did not drop down to the surface of the lake. The roof was a shoulder of the granite cliffs.

It did not look to be the work of man; it seemed rather as though some home grown lake being as the trees and the rocks themselves had grown. And in reality it had been the work of man, man made, large enough so that tee at one time all of the men who had ever come to the valley of the Silver Lakes.

"The man who dreamed that thing, and then put it into being," muttered the surprised Sherrod, "was an artist. And it's never heard of him."

To register a mental picture of the whole required but an instant when once it had stood apart in his vision from the forest and cliffs. To appreciate each little detail, to grasp the significance of each one, kept him motionless in the saddle, staring.

He saw where a shaft of sunlight cut through the branches of a gnarled cedar, vine framed; saw where what appeared but a spike of rock was in fact a deep-throated chimney exit to a thin wisp of blue smoke; saw that what appeared a chance fallen log lightning blasted, was a rustic footbridge spanning one of the many black spots in the granite floor.

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ton that he was on her side of the cliffs. He bit his lips, hesitated a little and then swung on through.

"I had the idea that my land comprised all of the territory within this basin, that it extended over across the pass and beyond the cliffs. You see, I bought the range on what I knew of it, and never actually rode over it. I had never heard of the unique building which is I take it, your home," he explained. "I knew that no such as nodded this time. He saw the curve of her cheek and it told him nothing. And still he continued.

"Evidently I was mistaken. Am I asking too much if I request that you tell me just where my boundaries lie? Am I trespassing on another man's property right now?"

Her head turned slowly, he saw her profile, then her eyes were turned searchingly upon him. For the moment that she did not reply he felt that she was trying to look down under the surface of him, seeking for something which might be in his soul.

"No doubt it is a little confusing," she admitted quietly. "There are the range dogs loose include the lake, Mr. Sherrod. Both of them. And you're welcome to the top of the cliffs and, I think, something like half or three-quarters of a mile beyond. Still, that is a fair bit of a range for the same and was gone so swiftly that Sherrod was not sure that his eyes had not deceived him in the gray half gloom of quivering sunlight dropping down through the branches was a man. "Isaac, you mustn't disturb the cows are trespassing. Just adjoining your range on the east there is a quarter section which belongs to me. The cattle bred and sixty acres are mostly those cliffs yonder; nodding to the rocky peak of mountain which is the first to catch the sunrise and the last to lose its glow. Between those two points I own everything. Which two eyes of our visitor, however, or even more. You extend almost to your Upper Lake."

She rose on in the same quiet manner that came to indicate certain natural landmarks standing between the bottom of the lake up into the cliffs, what she pleased to term the "place belonging to us." So Sherrod saw that the end of the lake was the end of his property, the other end upon "ours," and understood that when he had passed out of sight of the cliffs of the stream he had begun to trespass.

He saw the strange rambling dwelling of logs which seemed to nestle in the very bosom of the mountain. Some of the wilderness was just beyond it's big doors with different ones across the lake, understanding that the pass topped island was all his, and came to rest upon a rocky ledge shaped from old logs which he had first seen.

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"Why, I'm afraid," admitted Sherrod, "I'm afraid I did want to talk with you, to be neighborly—for we are neighbors, aren't we? And you didn't seem in the least eager to do your part."

"If my part is to talk with a young gentleman I've never seen before and consequently could not, by the largest stretch of all that's reasonable, have the slightest interest in, I'm afraid so," answered him as bluntly.

"But I've never seen you before either, have I? And I'm interested in you."

She shrugged a very lovely pair of shoulders and her hand went to the book she had dropped before he came and had forgotten about.

"I've nothing to say, I suppose," she said coolly. "And now, Mr. Sherrod, if you've no more questions you wish to put to me—"

"But there are," he returned impudently, "very many questions I've got to ask you. Only I don't know that you will be so kind as to answer them for me. The first is, can you tell me if the pass is open? I've just ridden up to the pass which he had noted leading southward—"which leads to the Bar Diamond range."

He saw a quick flash of interest in the big gray eyes when he spoke the name of his ranch and wondered for what wondering what should bring that light into them when it was nothing to her but the name of her lashes.

"That is the trail," she answered, making no comment.

"And the other question," he continued, "why, I say I call sometimes?"

"That," she said, "is a matter of indifference, is a matter which you had best take up with father, hadn't you? He needs to be neighborly with him, no doubt—"

"I should like to call on you," he broke in eagerly.

"You are very kind, Mr. Sherrod. And I should be delighted—if—if calls weren't dead. And where my boundaries lie? Am I trespassing on another man's property right now?"

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OBITUARY

WM. FAIR

The death is reported at Sudbury of William Fair. The deceased has relatives in Lindsay, and formerly resided here.

KENNETH MURCHISON

Word has been received of the death of Kenneth Murchison of Kindersley, Sask., a former resident of Lindsay, who was well known in Peterboro. The deceased was greatly respected, and the funeral was one of the largest ever held in that section.

MRS. JENNIE OSTERHOUT.

Buffalo, March 22.—Mrs. Jennie Osterhout, sister of Mr. Frank Buskell, Lindsay, and Mrs. H. Howard, Toronto, died late Thursday after a brief illness at her home, 45 Herkimr Street, Rochester, N. Y. She leaves one daughter, another brother and sister, interment Saturday morning at Rochester.

JOHN BOWERS

The death took place at Ross Memorial Hospital, Friday night of John Bowers, a resident of Mumford, Harcourt township, Haliburton County. The deceased, who was brought to the hospital two days ago, worked in a lumber camp at Norland.

MRS. WILLIAM COULTER

Margaret Staples, widow of the late William Coulter, died at her late residence, lot 19, con. 12, Ops, Friday morning. At the time of her death she was in her 83rd year. She lived with her brother, Robert Staples. Her husband predeceased her some eleven years.

The funeral will be held on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, to the 9th line of Cavan cemetery.

ALDAH KERR

Death closed a bright young life on Sunday at one o'clock, when Aldah, the fourteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kerr, Lindsay-st. south, passed to her eternal rest.

The deceased was a bright and amiable child, and her death will be deplored by a large circle of friends, who will condole with the parents in their sad loss.

Interment takes place on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Riverdale cemetery.

MRS. PETER McSWEYN

Woodville Advocate: It is our sad duty to record the death of one of our most respected and highly honored residents in the person of Mrs. Peter McSweyn, who died Tuesday, March 20th. She was one of the kindest of neighbors and a true friend. We deeply mourn with the friends who grieve, but especially with the daughter left so lonely in the loss of her dear mother. The whole community extend deepest sympathy to the sons and to Miss McSweyn.

HARRY G. DUNFORD.

Harry G. Dunford, who was born and had lived all his life in Millbrook, save for short intervals in Peterboro, died suddenly at Millbrook Wednesday night after an illness of a year's duration. Deceased was engaged in the carriage making business until late years when he assumed the proprietorship of Waverley Inn for two years. He was widely known and highly regarded, and had many friends in Lindsay.

Surviving are his widow, who before marriage was Miss Victoria E. Mann, and two sons at Millbrook. A brother, John Dunford, lives in Peterboro.

THE LATE JOSEPH O'SULLIVAN

On Sunday, March 11th, the death occurred at Campbellford of Joseph O'Sullivan, brother of the late Dr. O'Sullivan of Peterboro, at the ripe old age of eighty-two years and six months. Deceased was born in Bryscelly, Co. Cork, in 1835, and spent his childhood in the vicinity of his birthplace, where he was held in the highest esteem by all who knew him. He had been an invalid for many years and bore his sufferings with patience and fortitude that was simply marvellous.

In 1867 he was married to Miss B. Rooney, who is left to mourn the loss of a loving and devoted husband.

The funeral took place on Tuesday, Solemn High Mass being celebrated by Rev. Father Joseph O'Sullivan, of Victoria Road, assisted by Rev. Fathers F. J. O'Sullivan, of Port Hope, Guiry, of Kinmount and Whibbs, of St. Mary's church.

Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

S. E. HANCOCK

Minden Echo: Irondale citizens mourn the death of Mr. Samuel Hancock, one of the earliest settlers of that neighborhood, whose demise took place Friday morning, March 2nd, at the age of 72 years and two months.

Mr. Hancock was born in Devonshire, England, and when but eleven years of age came to Canada with his parents. Over a quarter of a century ago he moved to Irondale, where he became the first locomotive engineer on the L. B. & O. Ry., and where his comfortable home was a place of hospitality for his many friends. He was a member of the Orange Association, and in politics a Conservative.

His wife, whom maiden name was Jane McCormick, predeceased him five years ago. Six sons and one daughter survive, namely, John and William, of Hespeler; Joseph and Robert, of Toronto; Edward, of Dundalk; Wilfrid, of Irondale; and Mrs. Geo. Wilson, of Penelon Falls. Surviving brothers of the deceased are George and John, of Toronto; James of Woodville, and Fred, of Peterlaw.

Deceased had been in failing health for the past year, and three weeks before death contracted a severe cold which developed into la grippe, to which he succumbed on the above date.

The funeral took place on Sunday, Rev. Rand was in charge of Rev. Mr. Robinson, of Wilberforce. Six stalwart sons acted as pallbearers, tenderly laying to rest in Kinmount cemetery all that was mortal of their beloved father.

MRS. ROBERT WASHINGTON

Bowmanville Statesman: During the past week there was borne to her last resting place Mary Ann Argue, relict of the late Robert Washington, of Hayden. She came to this town about ten years ago, but has lived very quietly, hence was little known to the world at large, but was one to whom members of her family circle and friends of her younger days in the country where she was well and favorably known, had greatly endeared herself. Mrs. Washington for more than two years has been gradually failing, and eight months ago when she became worse Mrs. F. A. Parrett, her daughter, came from Glendive, Montana, and with the willing assistance of her niece, Miss Francis E. Conley, who has lived with her grandmother since infancy, waited upon and tenderly cared for her through all these months of her illness.

Deceased was daughter of John and Mary Argue, and was born on March 6th, 1839, at the old homestead, north of Solina. At the age of 16 years she was married to Robert Washington, son of Stephen Washington, Darlington, the marriage taking place Aug. 21st, 1854. The rest of her life was spent in Darlington and Victoria counties. Eight children were born to them, seven of whom survive, Mrs. Wm. Street, Toronto; Stephen J. Washington and Mrs. Frank A. Parrett, Glendive, Montana; Mrs. Mary A. Hayes, Long Tree, North Dakota; Mrs. John Ferguson, St. Catharines; Miss Elizabeth Washington, Bethany; Miss Ida Washington, at home, Florence, wife of Mr. Jas. Crossman, died March 1, 1886. The children were all present at the funeral except Stephen J. who arrived a few days later, and Mrs. Tervo, N. Dakota. Two brothers survive: Rees Argue of Glenarm, and Harry, of Solina. Her husband predeceased her 17 years.

THE LATE D. J. TWOHEY

In the passing of the late Daniel J. Twohey at his late residence, 26 St. Lawrence-st. on Monday, the town lost one of its best known citizens, and one who by his exemplary life won the esteem and respect of all classes of the community.

The late Mr. Twohey was born in Ops township 62 years ago, being a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Twohey of that township. About twenty years ago he moved from farming, and moved to Lindsay, where he resided until his death. The deceased had been in ill health for the past nine years, but it was only during the past few days that his illness assumed a serious phase. He was a devout member of the Catholic Church, was a member of the Knights of Columbus, and in his associations and relations with his fellowmen was exemplified the highest ideals of Christian citizenship.

The late Mr. Twohey is survived by his sorrowing wife, four sisters, Misses Mary and Margaret, of Lindsay, Mother Ursula, of the Loretta Community, Niagara Falls; Mrs. Levack, of Maynooth, and three brothers, Messrs. John, of Ops township, Dennis, of Windsor, and James, of Toronto. A brother of deceased, the late Rev. Father P. Twohey, of the Archdiocese of Kingston, predeceased him about thirteen years ago.

HYMENEAL

MacDONALD—KENNEDY

Peterboro Review: Trinity church was the scene of a quiet wedding on Friday evening at 8.30, when Sibyl Grace, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnston Kennedy, 593 Bolivar street, was united in marriage to Capt. W. L. MacDonald, of the 225th Bn., Ottawa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacDonald, of Weston, Ont. Only the members of the bride's family and Miss Olive Anderson, Lindsay, and Miss Mabel Kerr, Cobourg, witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. J. P. Wilson, B. A. The bride's attendant was her sister, Miss Kuna Kennedy.

The bride wore apple green silk poplin, grey shoes and gloves and motoring furs of battleship grey, and hat to match.

Capt. and Mrs. MacDonald left at midnight for Montreal and Quebec, and will reside in Ottawa.

SMITH—KELLY.

A pretty wedding took place in the Cambridge-st. Methodist Church on Wednesday, March 21st at 8 o'clock, when Miss Ethel Smith, of Millbrook, Reidy, was united in marriage to Mr. Harry Kelly, of Lindsay.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. C. Hie, of Dunsford. There were about fifty guests present. The bride wore a suit of white silk velvet with hat to match and was assisted by Miss Fern Kelly, sister of the groom.

The groom was supported by the bride's brother, Mr. William Smith. The happy couple left amid showers of rice and confetti on the 4.50 train for Peterboro and Port Hope. The bride travelled in a blue military suit with hat to match.

On their return they will reside in their new home on Durham-st., Lindsay.

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PRISONERS' WAR COMMITTEE REPORT

Prisoners of War Committee from Dec. 31st, 1915, to March, The last shipment of parcels of food to prisoners of war in Germany was made Dec. 31st, 1915, to ten men of Overdraf Camp, whose names were given by Mr. Crosier, who had been interned there for six months.

The work has grown from that small beginning to the providing of 50 men with a splendid box of food once a month. These men are scattered over Germany in 25 prison camps. 594 boxes of food have been sent from Dec. 31st, 1915, to Feb. 1st, 1917, through this society from the citizens of Lindsay and of the surrounding country.

In addition to food we have sent 20 pair boots, 100 pr. socks, underwear, sweaters, wristlets, handkerchiefs, towels, tooth brushes, soap, tobacco, pipes, medicines as well as Christmas extras. 31 of these men have been provided with bread from Berne, Switzerland. 4 lbs. each week cost $1.25 for 4 weeks. The young ladies of the Patriotic Int are now providing for 10 men, making in all 41 men receiving bread each week from Berne.

This Society in Berne is the one through which the Red Cross send bread to prisoners of war, and our subscriptions now go through the central committee, London, England.

Reaboro provides bread for 6 men, Toronto lady 10 men, Lindsay citizens 13 men, friends 4 men, young ladies of Patriotic Int; 10 men. Our boxes of food have been gratefully acknowledged farm every one of the 25 prison camps. That the men needs them was shown by their promptness in answering and in sending new addresses when moved. There are 2150 names in our name (Lindsay citizens) to the addresses we send them. Letters have been received from the Central Committee, London, England hoping that Lindsay will continue its good work. Lists of boxes have been sent and valued at $1.75, and we can choose those we think most suitable. We were able to send money in February sufficient to give each of our 50 men a box—$87.50 for food.

The committee desire to thank the citizens of Lindsay and the surrounding country for their generous donations during the year. We hope that in German prison camps has always been a serious one, but today they are so well fed and cared for that they are very different from what they were at any time during the war. Without their parcels they face slow but sure starvation. To continue the work as we have been doing, we require from generous fund $87.50 for food parcels, and $13.75 for bread each month—$101.25. This does not include money for bread from Reaboro, Patriotic Int, or friends.

C. E. KNOWLSON,
Convenor.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Cash contributions and expenditures for the year ending Nov. 30th, 1916: Contributions, $463.36; expenditures, $424.57. Balance at end of year $38.79. Books audited by Mr. Wylie.

Dec. 1916: Bal. on hand, $38.79; contributions, $78.30; Expenditures, $31.82. Bal. on hand, $85.67.

January, 1917: Bal. on hand, $85.67; contributions, $74.67; Expenditures, $160.54. Bal. on hand, $153.64.

February: Bal. on hand, $153.64; contributions, $166.45; Expenditures $174.30. Bal. on hand, $145.19.

March 3rd: Bal. on hand, $145.19; contributions, $8.02. Expenditures, $87.50. Bal. $67.71.

$67.50 of the $67.71 is bread money for the Patriotic Int, leaving only $29.21 of the bank for our March work. An itemized account will be left in the Post printing office.

ELLA MARTIN,
Treas.

UNION CREEK

(Special to The Post.)

Mrs. James Allen, of Mount Irwin was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Jos. Byrne, of this place last week.

Mr. Dave Henderson, jr., who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Henderson, returned to the west on Monday.

We were treated to the first thunderstorm of the season on Friday evening. As a consequence the Forrester's "At Home," which was to have been held in the hall at Kinmount on that night, postponed until Tuesday evening, much to the disappointment of some of our young society people.

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DRING ALL YOUR MATES

To the Editor.

Henry M. Tichenor's latest book, "The Creed of Constantine," contains the following epilogue which may interest some of your readers:

It was Saturday night. Jimmy Burns, sitting in his small front yard, with his chair tilted back against the house, and his feet planted in the rungs, had dropped his daily paper on the lower earth. There was no grass—factory towns boast but little green around the long rows of cottages by the mills. It had become too dark to read, so, having absorbed a fair amount of the crimes and scandals and general doings of the outside world, he lit his pipe and settled himself for rest and meditation. Jimmy's wife, with Katie and Johnnie and Annie and baby Jim had gone to the stores with the weekly stock, and his mind would have let in her purse when the necessities and paltry luxuries were bought and Jimmy left to meditation. For all the years back since he and Maggie had pledged their troth and roamed of happy days to come, he had gone through his evening course of meditation, he sat by the fire in the stove in the living room, in the pleasant summer months out of doors, in the winter time by and Jimmy's nature matured under the hard school of much work and little pay, and more and more he came to think and hate and the absorbing grew deeper and darker. There was a time when Jimmy's thoughts were as free as those he was younger then. Now they were more like the brown dirt in the rotting mill yard, or the sooty grass that had killed the grass. "It's a dreary world," said Jimmy to himself this Saturday night, "a dreary world for such as me."

He had repeated this same refrain time and again of late. Where love was young and hope was strong he would have considered as such a thought a sign of the devil. Were those days so far gone? Had a dreary world for such as me "to be" got on with Jimmy? Had the years eat and sleep, and then work and eat and sleep again, till he was bound down to the mill yard? In no better than he. No, but I'm worse off than he is, for I'm a woman, and maybe that he can't. Now, there's Maggie. I'm so glum these days, I guess she thinks I'm getting tired of her and love her more. Well, it's an old saying that when poverty comes in at the door, love flies out the window, and I'd give my life to make her and the children happy. Look at her, poor girl, scrimping and saving at the end and raising the babies, and at times taking in washing when the mills are shut down for repairs, and never a blossom to the one she was when she married me. Her cheeks were pink and white, and her laugh was as happy as a song bird. She's pale and worn-looking enough now. If I could get her and the kids all together away for a change! The banker and the landlord and the mill owners and their wives and children are at seashore and the mountains and fill them with fresh air and life. And I'm here at the mill, and have so much. A little home of my own up on the hill, not a rented tenement down here in the smoke, and bobs and a piano and such things that would make life worth the living. And what's the use of talking about all these things, with wages barely enough for keeps, and the mills shutting down at times and no wages at all? I say it's a dreary world for such as me." And Jimmy knocked the ashes out of his pipe and wrapped himself in that mantle of despair that has been the only imperishable garment of the poor.

Maggie and Katie and Johnnie and Annie and baby Jim had returned and gone to bed, but the night was warm, and Jimmy still dreamed on. At length he happened to look up the street and under the glare of the electric light he observed a man slowly coming down the walk. As the man drew nearer Jimmy noted that he seemed to be much interested in viewing the long rows of tenements on either side, every one of which being built so alike as though to purposely torture the eye. "Must be a stranger in the town," muttered Jimmy, "the way he looks at the shacks. Maybe he's hunting for property investment. Finally the man came directly in front of Jimmy's yard, and as he reached the gate he paused and observed, "Pleasant night," he said, "and if you are not going to bed quite yet, comrade, and don't mind, I'll come in and read a bit."

"Come along," answered Jimmy, and he arose and went to the front door and fetched a chair for the visitor and brought out another chair. "Take a seat," he said. "and light your pipe if you have one and make yourself at home." The stranger gratefully accepted the hospitality, and presently both were comfortably seated and smoking their pipes, "I should think," said the stranger, "you began Jimmy, by way of an opening.

"No," replied the other, and he added, "I must say I am glad this is not my home."

"Travelling?" continued Jimmy.

"Just for tonight."

This remark appeared rather odd to Jimmy. Setting the stranger's neat, but not over-stylish apparel, he concluded that he was of the well-to-do class of the city automobile from some neighboring town.

"Then you do not like this burgs?" said Jimmy, with a slight sneer.

"Like a dreary place to live in."—How like Jimmy's own meditations! That "continued" was here at a little study, "surely you do not belong to the working class."

"Oh, yes," replied the stranger, "where I live all belong to the working class—mostly brain, but brain or brawn. We have a beautiful place to live in. An eyesore like this street would be torn down at once. We have lovely parks and schools, and art museums and public theatres and a month or more part of the time in travel and at the seashore and mountains. "At the seashore and mountains!" Jimmy felt a twinge at his heart strings as he recalled Maggie's pale face, and his little children, heaped still closer about him at the mention of parks and schools and art museums and public theatres and a month or his own soul-hungry barns. And then the stranger went on describing the many charms and advantages of the city where he lived. He told of the freedom from disease because of the perfect municipal drainage, and the absolute purity of the food supply, and dwelt especially on the wonderful beauty of the hills and parks and, the entire removal of worry and fear of want was wringing upon the people. Jimmy listened with still increasing wonder. Why, even the janitors and janitresses lived with errors where he lived enjoyed no such life as this man described, for when the "gentlemen and fewer broke up in the crowded tenements, did not their posses reach the mansion on the hill? And Jimmy groaned him how it was all the people who enjoyed these things. "Such a pipe dream," Jimmy muttered. And then as the stranger looked hard at him, as though he wished to discover what effect his world had produced, Jimmy was suddenly seized with an inspiration. "Say," he exclaimed, "could I move to your city and get a job?" "Certainly you can," was the answer, "there's work almost left him. "I can start tomorrow," he simply said. "But you cannot come alone," said the fellow. "Of course not," replied Jimmy. "Did you think I would leave Maggie and Katie and Johnnie and Annie and baby Jim behind?" "No, I know you would bring them," said the stranger, "but you must bring all of them with you, or you cannot come."

"Who else then?" said Jimmy. "You must bring ALL YOUR MATES."

"Jimmy Burns," cried a woman's voice from the window above him "do you know it is nearly two o'clock?" He awoke with a start. He rubbed his eyes—he looked at his sides—but the stranger was not there. He could not believe he was alone, so vivid had the vision been. He gazed up and down the street—there was not a soul in sight—only the dull row of cottages and the dark outlines of the mills, with their chimneys silhouetted against the moonlight sky. "What a dream," he whispered. "And it was so real that it seemed true!" And he pondered over the words of the stranger, "YOU MUST BRING ALL YOUR MATES."

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CAPT. KENNY TO RESUME PASTORATE

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Cobourg World.—Capt. H. Bruce Kenny, pastor of the Methodist church here and president of the Bay of Quinte Conference, will resume his work here as pastor of the Methodist church at the beginning of next Conference year, in July. Capt. Kenny has been associated with Lt.-Col. Williams, Chief Recruiting Officer for Canada, in his work for some months, where he has given valuable service, but has decided to return to his pastorate here from which he had leave of absence for the year.

In welcoming Capt. Kenny back very many regret the removal of Rev. S. Sellery, who has done a splendid work here and who is very generally esteemed and most highly regarded as preacher and pastor.

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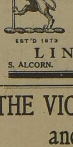

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Lindsay, March 19th, 1917.

C. E. WEEKS,
Manager.

McKIM AGENCY NEW EXECUTIVE

(From Saturday's Daily.)

The new Executive of A. McKim, Limited, Advertising Agency, of Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and London, Eng., has been announced.

During the last few years, the late Mr. Anson McKim had gathered around him an executive staff capable of carrying on, if all, the general oversight of the rapidly growing business of the advertising agency which he founded nearly thirty years ago, and which now comprises four offices in different cities and over 140 employees.

Since his death, these experienced men have been carrying on the work in the same official way that has characterized "McKim's" for so many years. The personnel of the executive as now organized is, A. McKim, President and Treasurer, Mrs. Anson McKim, Vice-President; W. H. Somerset, General Manager, H. E. Stephenson, Secretary; C. T. Pearce, Manager at Toronto; Thos. Bell, Manager at Winnipeg; W. Keeble, Manager at London, Eng.

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PRESENTATION TO PENIEL RESIDENTS

A pleasing event took place on the evening of Feb. 27th, when a number of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Brown to make a presentation and bid them good-bye before their departure from the neighborhood, where they have resided for a number of years. The following address was read by Miss Cora MacLean:

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Brown,—We, your friends and neighbors, have assembled here this evening, not merely to show our appreciation towards you, but for the love we have for you. We as a community feel that we cannot repay the tribute you have given in the past years. In the varied walks of neighborly and social intercourse you have contributed abundantly towards making life pleasant in the circle of which we are living. We do not forget that when the laugh was merriest your happy presence added pleasure to the scene and when sorrow visited our homes your words of consolation and sympathy made the sorrow lighter.

In church you were always a willing worker, always giving a helping hand, always trying to make burdens lighter. We feel we cannot let you go to your new home without showing to you in some small measure our appreciation of your faithful work and deep interest you have always taken as neighbor and friend. We ask your acceptance of this gift only as a slight token of our esteem and respect. We ask you to accept this combination desk and book-case, also this chair, and hope that it may prove of some benefit to you, that it will remind you that you have always a welcome at Peniel. We hope that for many years to come you may continue to go in and out among us and we feel sure that the passing years will only serve to strengthen the tie that binds us all together. We pray that God will bless you abundantly in your future lives, and what will be our loss will be Beaverton's gain.

Signed in behalf of your friends and neighbors:

CLARK SMITH,
NEIL MacLEAN
ROBERT OSBORNE
SAM SQUIRES.

GOVERNMENT TO REGISTER WOMEN

Toronto, March 21.—The Provincial Government, it is understood, has under consideration a proposal to ndertae and bear the expense of a special registration of the women of the Province who are eligible for the franchise under the Enfranchisement Act, which wil be passed by the Legislature this session.

The proposal is that, instead of having the municipal assessors enroll women upon the voters' lists and the municipalities bear the cost of the extra work involved, a force of special Government registration agents be employed to make the registration of each county.

THE FAMILY CARBON

Mother has a necklace bright,
The diamonds cheer her soul;
And father, too, finds great delight
In seven tons of coal.
—Washington Star.

"DEAD MAN" IS ALIVE AND WELL

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

After presuming him dead some months, word was received by letter from Albert Carruthers, of Illinois, by relatives at Sandford, near Uxbridge, last week.

In a recent disaster at the Buckner mines, Illinois, when a number of the workmen were killed, the authorities sent word to Sandford that one Albert Carruthers was amongst the victims as killed. To satisfy the relatives that this was the case, a letter was forwarded, taken off the dead man's body, and written by Janet Carruthers, of Sandford. His death was naturally generally regretted by all who knew him, and was reported in this newspaper.

Three days ago, however, Jane Carruthers of Sandford received a letter from none other than the supposed dead son, and one can only imagine her jubilation on making the discovery. It would appear that Albert was not in the mine disaster at all, being employed in another section of the works.

Just how the dead man happened with one of Albert Carruthers' letters is still a mystery here, but of course he may have been a friend, or by chance he may have found the letter.

THE NOBLE REFUSAL OF LITTLE BELGIUM

Montreal, March 20. — The announcements made by the Herman Press Bureau with a view to showing that the commercial domination of Belgium by Germany is imperative, as Belgium has all along been a source of "danger" to Germany, is made the occasion of a statement put forth by the Central Belgian Relief Committee here recalling a page of history appearing some time ago in a White Book issued by the British Government

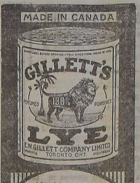
This White Book reproduces a despatch sent four days before the outbreak of war by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg declaring to the Belgian representative that eGrmany had no intention of violating Belgian neutrality, but adding the significant clause that no public declaration could be made, as that would weaken Germany's military position.

Two days before the war came another despatch stating that Germany must "anticipate" any hostile attack, and that Germany was forced "for her own protection" to enter Belgian territory. Belgium was asked not to oppose such an entry, the threat being made that if she did Germany would be compelled to consider her an enemy, and the promise added that if she did not the friendly ties which bind the two neighboring States will grow stronger and more enduring.

Belgium replied that the threatened attack on their independence constituted flagrant violation of international law, and that "The Belgian Government, if they were to accept the proposals submitted to them, would sacrifice the honor of the nation and betray their duty towards Europe."

When the German invasion came, the Belgian army met it rifle in hand and stayed the German legions for precious weeks that proved to be the salvation of Europe. "Gentlemen, we do wrong," said Bethmann-Hollweg in announcing the criminal attack on Belgium in the Reichstag, "but we will atone for it."

Today Belgian citizens by the thousands are slaves in Germany. And Belgian citizens by the million are on the ragged edge of starvation. The nation is being kept alive by the Belgian Relief Commission, and the food supplies coming to that Commission through contributions from more fortunate nations. Canada is helping in this work, but what Canada is doing is only a drop in an ocean of need. All over the civilized world plans are being made for more help. Will Canadians fail in their duty? Contributions are earnestly invited for the continuation of the relief work among the nation which has offered so much for its noble refusal to betray Europe to Germany. They may be sent to the Central Belgium Relief Committee, 59 St. Peter street, Montreal, or to any branch committee.



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AUSTRIA UNDER PRUSSIAN HEEL

London, Saturday.

The conditions now existing in the Dual Monarchy, the influence in Austria-Hungary of the German military party and how, the neutral press is hoodwinked by false correspondence are features of an enlightening letter from a Berne correspondent to the Birmingham Post. Nothing appearing in the Austrian Press gies any real clue to the conditions in Austria-Hungary. Of this, he says, he is assured by a neutral journalist, just arrived in Switzerland from Vienna. "In Vienna,, for instance there are some correspondents of American and other neutral newspapers, but were one of them to attempt to write what he wishes to write and knows is true and of interest, he would merely be wasting his time.

"'You may take it from me,' said my informant, 'that everything which appears either in the Swiss or the American press from correspondents in Austria is to all intents and purposes written by the Austrian Press Bureau. As for the Austrian and Hungarian newspapers, from which so many newspapers in belligerent countries compile articles, they are so carefully censored that no real information can be gained from them. It is merely necessary to look at the more independent Hungarian newspapers and see the columns and een pages absolutely blank to know the fate awaiting any one who wishes to publish any salutary criticism of the government or authorities.'

"He also called my attention to certain letters from Hungarian correspondents published in English newspapers.

"'They are nothing but fiction,' he said, which reminds me of what a Hungarian onse said to a friend of mine in London, that he went to England because in his own country he could not find fools enough to live upon. Some English newspapers have too great a tendency to do exactly what the Austrian, and to a loss extent the German, press does, and that is, publish what their readers like to be told, rather than what is true. Very often, moreover, the Austrian and Hungarian press bureaus purposely insert articles or paragraphs in newspapers from which they know that articles about Hungary are composed for the press of their enemies, in which they are merely imitating an example set them by Germany.

CORRESPONDENCE IMPOSSIBLE.

"Not only is it impossible at present to send manuscript out of Austria-Hungary ;except such as meets with the approval of the authorities, but even a bona fide neutral correspondent cannot leave the monarchy save with the greatest difficulty. Even I, who have lived in Switzerland since the war and long before it and have had certain means of keeping in touch with events in both the Central Empires since the war, now find it almost impossible to procure any trustworthy news from a correspondent, even verbally, and this because if any one enters Germany or Austria-Hungary he is seldom let out again. Consequently I often wait weeks without learning any news of value.

"Since the death of the old Emperor a remarkable number of changes have taken place in Austria-Hungary. The new Emperor is very nervous and at present seems to be feeling his way. The Empress Zita is generally considered his better and stronger half, and, to use a homely phrase, it is she who wears the breeches, or is expected to don them one day.

"The Austrian. Foreign Minister and Prime Minister have gone, and the Hungarian Prime Minister, Count Tisza, is feeling somewhat uneasy, and it is said, is regarded not altogether favorably by the Hungarians, as being too pro-German. Herr Seighart, chairman of the Austrian Land Bank and a pillar of German influence in Austria, has also gone, and at the shortest notice; Baron Macchio, head of the political department at the Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Count Forgach, who has resigned and whose resignation was accepted without a word, have all left.

"Now, Count Forgach was strongly anti-Serbian, and he it was who drafted in 1914 the ultimatum to Serbia. And it may be that Count Tisza will also have to go and be succeeded by Count Andrassy, who, himself pro-German, has a son-in-law, Count Karolyi, who is considered positively Anglophile."

FOE ALERT ON CANADIAN FRONT

Canadian Headquarters in France, March 28.—As his retreat in the valley of the Somme slackens, the enemy begins to waken up again on the Canadian front. His patrols are increasingly vigilant, and his artillery, which for a time was so quiescent as to induce doubt as to whether he meant to fight or withdraw, is now returning the fire of the Canadian batteries with new vigor.

Aerial operation is also better, and keeps our flying men and Archies busy.

Men along the front are greatly heartened by the news that the enemy is at last heading for home, though such wanton destruction as cutting down fruit trees angers them almost as much as if Germans were ravaging Niagara peninsula.

The way in which all British troops begin to regard the soil of France in defence of which so many of the bravest have laid down their lives, gives an indication that the alliance of France and the British Empire will last long and become even more intimate, especially if Russia, France's other ally, becomes a constitutional monarchy or a republic, and is modernized industrially. These matters are far more discussed at the front than even the progress of the war.

FIND CANADIANS READY.

Evidence was supplied this morning by the enemy on the Canadian front that the general retirement south of Arras has not yet extended to the region held by the Canadians.

The German guns, which have been returning a spasmodic fire to the increasing volume of our fire, suddenly opened up with great vigor yesterday. After artillery preparation in a raiding attack was made in the early dawn on the Canadians, who took a number of prisoners in the raid the previous evening. The Canadians were ready for the enemy, and a heavy fire was at once directed on the attacking force which sustained considerable losses without at any point penetrating our line.

The nature of the enemy's barrage is considered evidence that his artillery is still in position along this part of the front.

Prisoners recently taken profess entire ignorance of any measures looking to a withdrawal.

The great events transpiring south of Arras have made most people optimistic, and once more the cry is heard, "Christmas in Canada!"

AT PALM BEACH

"There goes Mrs. Blank. What brings her to Florida, I wonder?"

"She wants to get rid of her rheumatism."

"But why does she bring her three daughters?"

"Oh, she wants to get rid of them, too."

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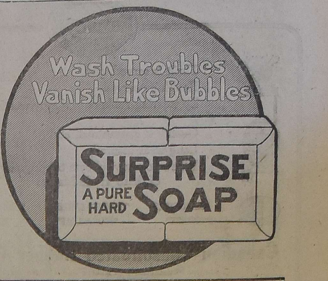

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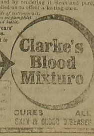
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